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SERGEANT CHU: That's fine. Today is Wednesday, November 4th, 2009. The time is approximately 1410 hours. My name is Sergeant Wayne Chu, Internal Affairs Bureau Group 1. I'm present here at Jamaica Hospital in the Day Room of the third floor Psych 3 Ward. Present here is --

LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Larry School --

SERGEANT CHU: I'm sorry. Go, sir.

ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Adrian Schoolcraft.

SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And, sir?

LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Larry Schoolcraft.

Adrian, the patient's father.

SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Okay, good. And we're here with the medical staff from the Jamaica Hospital Center.

LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Detective, would they willing to identify themselves, (indiscernible) and their positions?

SERGEANT CHU: Sir, just for the record, for voice identification purposes?

DR. ISAKOV: I am Dr. Isakov.

SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And, ma'am?

MS. McMAHON: I'm Christine, social worker.

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Christine, what's  
3 your last name?

4 MS. McMAHON: McMahon.

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Doctor, what's your  
6 first name?

7 DR. ISAKOV: Isak.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: First name?

9 DR. ISAKOV: Isak.

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I'm sorry?

11 DR. ISAKOV: Isak.

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Thank you.

13 Okay. I was called to the meeting by you, so you  
14 can start it off.

15 DR. ISAKOV: But, again, I -- I don't know  
16 what you want to talk to me with -- why I'm talking --  
17 can talk to you about your son, what we gonna do, and  
18 what else do you want to know?

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I -- right now,  
20 doctor, I know nothing, so, feel free to tell me  
21 everything?

22 DR. ISAKOV: Okay. The same thing that I  
23 don't know too much, also, only what --

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, see that --  
25 that's not gonna --

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1 DR. ISAKOV: -- only -- only what your son  
2 told when he came to the emergency room --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right, doctor, I'm not  
4 interested what (indiscernible) --

5 DR. ISAKOV: -- and when I spoke with him  
6 today.

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I told no one  
8 anything. They didn't talk to me. They only talked  
9 to the supervisors of the department. They only got  
10 their story.

11 DR. ISAKOV: I know, but they interview  
12 you too.

13 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: That doctor, she  
14 never in -- she never asked me anything about what  
15 happened.

16 DR. ISAKOV: And -- but I met with and I  
17 asked you today what happened.

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: This is the first  
19 time we ever met, right here.

20 DR. ISAKOV: Right. First time, yes.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Doctor, I have a  
22 question. I didn't mean to interrupt my son. I'm  
23 his biological father. I'm his emergency contact,  
24 detective, for the NYPD, okay?

25 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: They know this.  
2 There's policies and procedures in the NYPD. They  
3 broke down my son's door and drug him out and put  
4 him in a psychiatric unit and nobody, nobody, nobody  
5 from the NYPD or the City of New York has contacted  
6 me to tell me what's going on with him. Nobody.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Nobody. I have called  
9 the chief of Brooklyn North, Nelson, Marino, his  
10 commander in the 81, Morello -- Mauriello, Steve  
11 Mauriello, nobody has returned my calls and I have  
12 called them 20 times in the last four days. Nobody.  
13 Nobody will return my calls and nobody will give me  
14 information. Nobody from the hospital. And I'm  
15 sure Adrian has told you who I am. Nobody, until  
16 yesterday, when Christine called me at 3:00, when he  
17 had been incarcerated, locked up --

18 DR. ISAKOV: (Indiscernible) --

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- had his freedom  
20 taken away, wasn't allowed to vote. His freedom.  
21 His very freedom. I don't know what country you're  
22 from, Doc, but this is the United States of America.  
23 I'm ex-military, he's honorable military, and I'm  
24 sure Detective Chu is ex-military. Correct?

25 SERGEANT CHU: Well, actually, I'm not.

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1 And just for the clarification, it's Sergeant Chu.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So Detective Sergeant?

5 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. So you don't  
7 want to be called detective, you're called a  
8 sergeant?

9 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah, that's fine.

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Just so, you know, I just  
12 want -- you know, it's not an issue, I just want you  
13 to be --

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No.

15 SERGEANT CHU: -- clarified as to who I  
16 am.

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Right. I  
18 appreciate it.

19 SERGEANT CHU: So, in case you do ask, was  
20 he Detective Chu? They won't know...

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. Thanks. Okay.

22 To get back on the doctor. Why hasn't anybody from  
23 the hospital contacted me?

24 If you certainly want to help your patient  
25 on getting him out here, wouldn't his most primary

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1 support system, that being his father, wouldn't he  
2 be the first one you would call before you even  
3 admitted him? Isn't that the person you would want  
4 to call? The very person that cut his umbilical  
5 cord, I've known him every day of his life, you  
6 don't think that was important?

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Not the boss that --

8 DR. ISAKOV: I understand --

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, not -- not --

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- as I reported  
11 criminal activity to?

12 DR. ISAKOV: -- I understand you  
13 perfectly, but I'm working in in-patient, I don't  
14 know what happened when he was in emergency room.  
15 Did anybody call? I don't know.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Let's not go back  
17 there. Let's know just what you know. After --

18 DR. ISAKOV: As soon --

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- he became [sic]  
20 here, why didn't you notify me?

21 DR. ISAKOV: As soon he come here --

22 MS. McMAHON: But we did.

23 DR. ISAKOV: -- is the first hour in  
24 (inaudible) --

25 MS. McMAHON: I did call you. I did

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1           notify you.

2                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: When did you call me?

3                   MS. McMAHON: After I spoke with your son.

4                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. And --

5                   MS. McMAHON: He called you first and then  
6 I called you.

7                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and when was that?

8                   DR. ISAKOV: Yesterday.

9                   MS. McMAHON: Yesterday afternoon. So you  
10 were notified that he was here.

11                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Three days?  
12 Three days?

13                   DR. ISAKOV: No. It was the first time  
14 here yesterday.

15                   MS. McMAHON: Right. We can't speak to  
16 what happened in the emergency room. We don't work  
17 in the emergency room.

18                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So where has he been  
19 for three days?

20                   DR. ISAKOV: He come to the unit --

21                   MS. McMAHON: We cannot speak to that.

22                   DR. ISAKOV: He come to the unit yesterday  
23 and --

24                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Where has he  
25 been for three days?



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1 DR. ISAKOV: -- you got the phone call  
2 right away.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Where has he  
4 been for three days?

5 DR. ISAKOV: In emergency room.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

7 MS. McMAHON: And we understand your  
8 frustration that nobody called you.

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And --

10 MS. McMAHON: I mean, I do understand  
11 that. Probably, yes, you should have been notified.

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. I appreciate --  
13 I appreciate that, Christine.

14 DR. ISAKOV: Did you request to call your  
15 father?

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes, multiple times.

17 DR. ISAKOV: Did you give the phone number  
18 downstairs?

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes.

21 DR. ISAKOV: Did they tell you that they  
22 tried (indiscernible)?

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't remember.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Nobody's contacted me.  
25 I have a cell phone like everybody. I have a home

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1 phone, I have voice mail.

2 DR. ISAKOV: Again, I --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It's all documented.

4 DR. ISAKOV: -- I don't know what happened  
5 in the emergency room.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I understand.

7 DR. ISAKOV: If you have a --

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I'm not --

9 DR. ISAKOV: -- complaint, you can go  
10 and (inaudible) --

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I understand.

12 Doctor, I'm not expecting you to elaborate on issues  
13 that you are not aware of, just what you know of,  
14 that's all.

15 DR. ISAKOV: (Indiscernible). As soon he  
16 came, the phone call was made.

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

18 Now, Ms. McMahon, yesterday, I have a -- I  
19 had a question for you and you didn't answer it, and  
20 I think we need to answer it now.

21 MS. McMAHON: I don't think it's  
22 important.

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, first of all,  
24 before we go that route; would you tell me what your  
25 position is here? What's your duties?

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1 MS. McMAHON: I just told you, I'm a  
2 social worker.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: What -- tell me what  
4 those duties are?

5 MS. McMAHON: Primarily, discharge  
6 planning.

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. And --

8 MS. McMAHON: I work with the team here,  
9 primarily discharge (inaudible) --

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- would you  
11 describe your daily duties, on what you do, and  
12 what's your -- what your duties are? What your  
13 responsibilities are?

14 MS. McMAHON: Assessment, discharge  
15 planning, work with the team --

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Work with the team.  
17 Okay.

18 MS. McMAHON: -- you know, to facilitate  
19 discharge for the patient.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Okay. And do  
21 you have to be certified for that?

22 MS. McMAHON: Of course.

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. What's the  
24 certification called?

25 MS. McMAHON: It's state licensure in

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1 social work.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Social work.

3 MS. McMAHON: Yeah.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Is it a particular  
5 specific type of license?

6 MS. McMAHON: It's a license to practice  
7 social work.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Is it the  
9 Department of Health, Department of Education?

10 MS. McMAHON: State. State Department of  
11 Education.

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Department of  
13 Education.

14 MS. McMAHON: Yes.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes, I'm aware it's  
16 the state.

17 Okay. Now, what information do you have  
18 on Adrian? And I'd like to see all the information  
19 that you have on Adrian.

20 MS. McMAHON: I --

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I want --

22 MS. McMAHON: -- I told you the  
23 information that I have.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No, I want to see it.  
25 I want the files. I want them opened. I want

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1           copies. I am his power of attorney, I am his  
2           healthcare proxy. I want everything. Everything.  
3           I wanna read it. I wanna document it. I wanna take  
4           it out of here with me.

5                     DR. ISAKOV: You need to make an official  
6           request and the copy will be given to you.

7                     LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Forget the  
8           copies now, bring the paperwork in here so I can  
9           read them.

10                    Now, how can I help you, help him, if I  
11           don't have the information that you have, doctor?

12                    DR. ISAKOV: The information is right here  
13           (inaudible) --

14                    LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. The information  
15           you --

16                    ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: What are you writing  
17           down?

18                    LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The information  
19           you're evaluating as, is something you've got  
20           written down. I wanna see it. Go get all your  
21           paperwork that has anything to do with him, bring it  
22           in here --

23                    ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Perhaps you need an  
24           administrator up here. There's --

25                    LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. I asked for --

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- actual accomplices  
2 to this abduction.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Do you -- do you know  
4 -- do you know Dr. Vivek? I'm sure you do, right?

5 Why don't you call the chairman and see if  
6 he'll come down here and then we can talk, okay,  
7 Doc? Go do that. We'll take a rest.

8 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And, Doc, we are not  
9 being disrespectful. This is, I've been held  
10 captive here for --

11 DR. ISAKOV: I still -- I still don't  
12 understand where you leading it to? I -- I --

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You've taken a man's  
14 freedom.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Can I go, Doc?  
16 Doctor, can I go?

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Adrian, come on.  
18 Adrian, forget it.

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Can I go?

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: We can go. We can go.  
21 Get up.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Then you don't need  
23 me. Everything's fine, right?

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: We can go.

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Let's go.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Open the door, let's  
2 go, we're going out.

3 Come on, Detective, it's over.

4 SERGEANT CHU: Sir, it's --

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Come on, Adrian. Come  
6 on.

7 SERGEANT CHU: While we're here, it was  
8 brought to my attention that you stated that one of  
9 the uniform members of the service, what was  
10 communicated to me, stomped on your face?

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Chief Marino needs to  
12 be charged with attempted murder.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: After the EMS stated  
15 that my vital signs were --

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Tachy.

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- such -- yeah, he  
18 used the word "tachy" -- in such a way that I had to  
19 go to the hospital, he then gave the order to attack  
20 me.

21 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They assaulted me. I  
23 had asked for pictures by the hospital, IAB hasn't  
24 come and take photographs.

25 SERGEANT CHU: I have a camera here. Do

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1           you authorize --

2                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, three --

3                   SERGEANT CHU: -- me taking photographs?

4                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- what is it, four  
5           days later?

6                   SERGEANT CHU: Well, you know --

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But I'll take  
8           anything. But Chief Marino of Brooklyn North --

9                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

10                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- needs to be  
11           charged with attempted murder.

12                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

13                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He stomped on my  
14           face, he gave the order, I was assaulted.

15                  DR. ISAKOV: Can you come with me --

16                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

17                  DR. ISAKOV: -- to administration?

18                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yep. Can Adrian go?

19                  DR. ISAKOV: No.

20                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, then bring him  
21           here.

22                  DR. ISAKOV: No. You can come with me to  
23           administration.

24                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Where is  
25           administration?



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1 SERGEANT CHU: Sir, during this time, I  
2 will get the statement from --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay (inaudible) --

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't think you  
5 should go anywhere alone.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Detective, why don't  
7 you go with me to administration, then we'll come  
8 back together?

9 SERGEANT CHU: You know what, I -- I  
10 have --

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: (Indiscernible).

12 SERGEANT CHU: Sir, I have full faith in  
13 that the hospital staff will treat you respectfully.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You do?

15 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Even though they've  
17 incarcerated him for four days?

18 SERGEANT CHU: Well, you know, we have  
19 (inaudible) --

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Can I at least get a  
21 reason why I've been incarcerated? That's all I  
22 want.

23 DR. ISAKOV: It's not incarceration, it's  
24 a hospital, sir.

25 SERGEANT CHU: So --

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1                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, they call the  
2                   jails a hospital these days.

3                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: A big gulag.

4                   SERGEANT CHU: If I can get that  
5                   information for you, I will, but, at this time, I  
6                   just want to address the specific physical  
7                   contact.

8                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: See if you can make a  
9                   copy of those while you're up there, the eight  
10                  pages --

11                  SERGEANT CHU: So --

12                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and then just give  
13                  it to (inaudible) --

14                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh, okay.

15                  SERGEANT CHU: But if you would escort --  
16                  you know, follow -- I -- I do have faith in, you  
17                  know --

18                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Then if you  
19                  tell them, all right, if they're bringing me back  
20                  here, ask them?

21                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Sir, is -- is Mr.  
22                  Schoolcraft coming back to this facility?

23                  DR. ISAKOV: Yes. It depend on what  
24                  administration (inaudible) --

25                  SERGEANT CHU: Well --

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: That kind of sounded a  
2 little vague.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Well, like yourself, like  
4 myself, here, we are actually here at the -- we are  
5 under the directive of the hospital staff.

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They can hinder a  
7 criminal investigation --

8 SERGEANT CHU: No, but --

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- attempted murder  
10 charge?

11 SERGEANT CHU: No. But I'm getting your  
12 statement and that's my main focus right now is to  
13 get your statement as it pertains to the physical  
14 contact. On that same note, though --

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No. I made -- I made  
16 the complaint that I was abducted --

17 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and I'm being held  
19 here --

20 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- against my will.

22 SERGEANT CHU: But I just want to address  
23 the -- at first, right now --

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I understand that.

25 SERGEANT CHU: -- the physical contact

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1           that was made by Chief Marino.

2                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I understand. I

3           mean --

4                   SERGEANT CHU: And I --

5                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- so, I don't

6           understand, Sergeant Scott was here, right?

7                   SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

8                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Hasn't this story all

9           been told?

10                  SERGEANT CHU: Have you -- you told him

11           the entire story -- the story in its entirety?

12                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I think, yeah. Well,

13           I mean, up to now, no, I was in the psych ER.

14                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. I mean, there was a

15           statement given to Sergeant Scott already?

16                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But, yeah, the -- the

17           event of breaking in and dragging me out and

18           assaulting me and --

19                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. So your -- your

20           statement's already been --

21                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, I'll give it

22           again, whatever you need.

23                  SERGEANT CHU: No, but as it pertains --

24                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And I have it written

25           out up to the point where I got to the ER.

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He'll make copies of  
3 it (inaudible).

4 SERGEANT CHU: Oh, no, but if your  
5 statement's already been given to Sergeant Scott or  
6 by -- to another I -- Group 1 investigator, then I  
7 won't, you know, rehash it with you then, if it's  
8 specific statements as to what the specific members  
9 of the service did to you, so...

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, take the copies  
11 with you --

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I got them  
13 (inaudible) --

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Don't give them the  
15 originals, give them the copies.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I will.

17 SERGEANT CHU: But you articulated what  
18 Chief Marino specifically did, what other uniform  
19 members of the service specifically did?

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Chief Marino and an  
21 unidentified bald black male with the inspections  
22 lieutenant, I think he said his name was Gough --

23 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- those are the only  
25 ones that I could identify as grabbing me. There

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1                   were more, but as soon as I looked up to see who it  
2                   was, that's when Chief Marino stomped me, stomped on  
3                   my head, to cover my eyes with his boot and then  
4                   rubbed my face into the carpet. This was after EMS  
5                   said, "He is tachy, he needs to go to the hospital.  
6                   I can't -- I can't let you refuse," what he told me.

7                   SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

8                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And, after they  
9                   handcuffed me -- well, they -- first they held me in  
10                  this torture position for, I don't know, it felt  
11                  like forever.

12                 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

13                 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But it wasn't -- I  
14                 wasn't resisting at all. I was laying in my bed, I  
15                 said I don't feel good. Then they finally put the  
16                 handcuffs and they just -- I could feel both their  
17                 hands around each wrist, doing this.

18                 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

19                 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And I could feel my  
20                 wrists cracking.

21                 SERGEANT CHU: So you identified  
22                 Lieutenant Gough and a male black bald man?

23                 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Who was his  
24                 counterpart, it seemed. I think they were together.

25                 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And they are from,

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1           you indicated, which unit?

2                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: What's that?

3                   SERGEANT CHU: They are from where, again?

4           I'm sorry.

5                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I think that he -- he  
6           said he was inspections.

7                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay. The Borough  
8           Investigations Unit.

9                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I have no idea.

10                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Marino, was he in  
11           uniform or --

12                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He was in uniform.

13                  SERGEANT CHU: Was there any other uniform  
14           members that you observed?

15                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Lieutenant -- I don't  
16           know if it's 81, Lieutenant Broschart (phonetical)  
17           or Bratwurst (phonetical), or something like that.

18                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Did you observe any  
19           specific interaction he had with you, as far as any  
20           direct physical contact?

21                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Other than, when we  
22           got to ER, he wouldn't loosen the cuffs.

23                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They -- they released  
25           this one, but I was -- they wouldn't loosen this

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1           one. I was treated like an Hannibal Lecter and I  
2           did nothing to cause that.

3                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

4                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: When they rolled me  
5           over, Chief Marino sat on my bed. He goes, "Officer  
6           Schoolcraft, we're just trying to help you," in a --  
7           in a smirky tone. The bald black guy --

8                   SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

9                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- searched my  
10          pockets. He found a recorder in my pocket. He gave  
11          it to Chief Marino. He goes, "Oh, he's being cute.  
12          He's got recording devices." He lays it on the  
13          shelf next to my bed.

14                   They go through my pockets, they find my  
15          keys. He gives my keys to -- I didn't see who he  
16          gave it to, exactly, but I'm assuming it was the  
17          lieutenant.

18                   SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

19                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And the lieutenant --  
20          that's the last I saw or heard the keys. I didn't  
21          hear them drop on a shelf or anything, I didn't hear  
22          them go into a pocket or anything.

23                   He found my wallet. Chief Marino goes,  
24          count -- count what's in his wallet, blah, blah,  
25          blah. Do you want it back? Yeah, I want a back.



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1 Give -- they put it back in my pocket. Then -- then  
2 he did this. And then they picked me up, forced me  
3 on my knees, facing him, sitting on my bed. While I  
4 -- while they were lifting me up, he, with his left  
5 hand, took the recorder back off the shelf, put it  
6 in his right hand, put it in his suit jacket pocket.  
7 It was a black Olympus WS331M digital recorder.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sorry.

9 SERGEANT CHU: 331M?

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I think that's the  
11 model number.

12 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

13 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It's a little black  
14 digital recorder, you break it apart and it has a  
15 USB on the other end.

16 SERGEANT CHU: I -- I've seen it. It has  
17 like a USB port built in, so --

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Olympus,  
19 black.

20 SERGEANT CHU: -- you don't have to --  
21 it's almost like a iPod shape. A little bit like...

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yep. Something like  
23 that.

24 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. Okay.

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And he said -- he

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1           made some statement, I can't remember what it was,  
2           because they had me kneeling before him, while he's  
3           sitting on my bed, in my home. And then they  
4           carried me off.

5                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Did you ever have  
6           any previous interaction with Chief Marino, direct  
7           or indirect, or was this the first time?

8                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I've seen him before,  
9           I don't -- he was the CO of the 75, when I was  
10          there.

11                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. But this would be  
12          your first type of --

13                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah.

14                  SERGEANT CHU: -- any type of interaction?

15                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No. He stated, he  
16          said, "I don't know who you are." I go, "You know  
17          who I am." And he said, I don't know who you are,  
18          officer, or something like that.

19                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

20                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And, I don't know, I  
21          have eight pages written down --

22                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay. No, that's fine.

23                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- (inaudible).

24                  SERGEANT CHU: One of the things that was  
25          relayed to me, because there was, you know,

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1 statements made by you of -- of physical contact by  
2 the officers and injuries (inaudible), come and take  
3 photographs, if I may be permitted. Okay. Do you  
4 have any issues with me taking a photo --

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I've been asking --

6 SERGEANT CHU: -- photographs?

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- for that since day  
8 one.

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Begging for it.

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant James and  
11 Lieutenant Bratwurst also denied my request to  
12 contact IAB. IAB didn't come until -- I wrote the  
13 date down on paper -- I think it was yesterday.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And you just have to  
15 -- you have to -- like you have to know that I don't  
16 know your --

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't know who they  
18 are, I'm just --

19 SERGEANT CHU: -- so Sergeant James is?  
20 Sergeant James is who?

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: 81st Precinct  
22 sergeant.

23 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She's a black female.

25 SERGEANT CHU: Is she assigned to any

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1 particular thing in the bureau that you know of, a  
2 squad, assignment?

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I have no idea.

4 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. You just know her as  
5 she's Sergeant James from the 81?

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She just got there, I  
7 had no idea who she is.

8 SERGEANT CHU: And who was the other  
9 person?

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, the one that  
11 came in the ambulance with me was Lieutenant --  
12 again, he's new -- Lieutenant Bratwurst or  
13 Broschart, or something like that. All denied my  
14 request to see IAB.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And to loosen the  
17 cuffs.

18 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: When I -- when the  
20 nurse told me someone was trying to call for me, and  
21 I requested they answer the phone, they just sat  
22 there. They didn't do anything. I got out of the  
23 gurney, I pulled the gurney with me to the phone,  
24 that's when Lieut -- Sergeant James told me to get  
25 off the phone, she pushed the gurney into a girl in

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1 a wheel chair. I'm sure I was blamed for that. I  
2 didn't do anything because, you know, I wanna answer  
3 the phone.

4 So, she pulled the phone, she broke the  
5 wire out of the phone. Whoever was on the phone,  
6 whatever, I had no phone call. So I got back in the  
7 gurney. Lynn, the nurse, said she would, you know,  
8 if they called back, she'll find out who it is and  
9 she was looking out for me.

10 After that, Sergeant James got on Officer  
11 Soworski's (phonetical) -- I'm not sure what his  
12 name is. There's a couple "skis" on the midnight  
13 shift --

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- this was Soworski  
16 (phonetical), Saworsko (phonetical), whoever she was  
17 with, she was using his cell phone. I heard her get  
18 on the phone and tell the desk, I think it was  
19 Sergeant Manhorn (phonetical), that Schoolcraft is  
20 wallowing out, blah, blah, blah. Well, I skipped  
21 something. Just before that, staff went to them,  
22 Sergeant James and the officer, and said, you know,  
23 when this person calls, what do I tell them? Well,  
24 just give them -- just give them the number to the  
25 81st Precinct. And I said, I'm not going anywhere

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1 with you. And she gets on the phone and that's when  
2 I -- I became a --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: A ward of the state.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

5 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She went -- she  
7 walked -- which I didn't know at the time, what it  
8 was -- she walked to where -- she walked outside the  
9 ER, on the cell phone, on that officer's cell phone,  
10 when she came back out about 20 minutes later, she  
11 walked to the Psych ER, and that's where there's  
12 supposedly some statement that is unsigned stating  
13 that I ran from them and -- what's the word they  
14 used -- barricaded myself in my house.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. When did you -- when  
16 were you advised that you were now a patient here?

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Nobody's advised me  
18 anything.

19 SERGEANT CHU: All right. But when  
20 were --

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I haven't been treated  
22 for anything.

23 SERGEANT CHU: When were you -- at some  
24 point, you were (inaudible) --

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: All they said is, I

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1           can't -- I overheard, was it Monday, Monday morning  
2           I was supposed to be seen. They had me in a bed,  
3           out in the hallway, next to the nurses' station. I  
4           heard an Indian voice -- I heard a loud female voice  
5           say, What about Schoolcraft? What is School... Or  
6           something like this, He's going today, right? And  
7           another quieter Indian voice stated, No, he's  
8           special, he's not going anywhere. And --

9                       SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

10                    ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I believe that  
11           (inaudible).

12                    SERGEANT CHU: All right. Let me take  
13           some photographs. I do see some marks that will be  
14           taken.

15                    As you know, what I'll do first is take a  
16           -- you know, keep your gown on, first, so I can take  
17           a whole body shot identifying that this is the  
18           person that I'm taking, you know, as I take  
19           additional close ups.

20                    LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Do you have a cameras,  
21           sergeant, that do bruises better today than years  
22           ago? Or it's still hard to do bruises, isn't it?

23                    SERGEANT CHU: No, I mean this -- this is  
24           a pretty decent camera, we have.

25                    LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Is it -- is it a

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1 special something?

2 SERGEANT CHU: Well, I mean it's -- I  
3 assure you this is a camera that most precincts  
4 won't even ever have, like a --

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

6 SERGEANT CHU: -- so, you know, it's a  
7 small (inaudible) --

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It's a good camera.  
9 I know, 'cause years ago it was tough, you know,  
10 bruises is tough to get.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. And actually -- and  
12 also -- as you know, also, that, you know, if you're  
13 concerned about a photograph not being taken right  
14 away, you know, bruises tend to -- to develop --

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

16 SERGEANT CHU: -- it's takes them a  
17 certain amount of time period, anyway, so, let me  
18 take some shots here.

19 Okay, great. Just step to that blue zone  
20 over there, where, this way I can get a (inaudible).

21 Let's take the closest profile.

22 Now, you had -- you did have some stuff on  
23 your face, that the foot was placed (inaudible) --

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It was red, but it's  
25 pretty much gone down.



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1 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. But, you know what,  
2 I'm just going to document -- I'm just going to  
3 indicate that. So it was the right facial region?

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He had -- his foot  
5 was on my left -- left side of my face and the right  
6 side of my face was being rubbed into the ground.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. So, it's actually  
8 both, both sides of your face that had some physical  
9 contact; one with the ground and the other one with  
10 the...

11 And just to clarify, when you say,  
12 "ground," you meant the ground? Or was it  
13 (inaudible) --

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: My floor. The floor  
15 of my bedroom.

16 SERGEANT CHU: And what kind of flooring  
17 surface is (inaudible) --

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Like a commercial  
19 carpet.

20 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. (Inaudible). Now,  
21 let me see (inaudible)...

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible).

23 SERGEANT CHU: Let me see your wrists  
24 there. (Inaudible). All right. (Inaudible).

25 At this point, what has -- what has been

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1 explained to you, as far as your -- what will be --  
2 what the hospital feels that they -- they deem that  
3 it's necessary? What has been communicated to you  
4 by the hospital staff?

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They haven't  
6 communicated anything to me, other than that I'm  
7 paranoid, because I live at home alone without my  
8 parents or a wife. I'm -- I'm paranoid because I'm  
9 afraid armed officers, that I reported crimes of,  
10 will -- will hurt me.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. All right. Was this  
12 date, sir, was this the first time you were -- it  
13 was brought to your attention to come today, also,  
14 as well?

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct. Yes, sir.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. All right. You  
17 know, I -- I -- I just want to, like your -- like  
18 myself, you know, I am sort of under a certain  
19 obligation to follow their directives here. I mean,  
20 I cannot make a determination whether you should be  
21 discharged at this time. I cannot make any  
22 recommendations to them about --

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No, I understand that.

24 SERGEANT CHU: -- any particular, you  
25 know --

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I'm just -- all I'm  
2 concerned is -- is documenting, doing the  
3 investigation, and if him being contained in here is  
4 gonna thwart that, and I believe that's what these  
5 certain corrupt members of the NYPD, they did it for  
6 this reason.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The took him out of  
9 circulation. It not only discredits him by being  
10 put in a psych ward, but it also keeps him out of  
11 circulation, incommunicado.

12 SERGEANT CHU: (Inaudible).

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: He hasn't been able to  
14 see an attorney, he hasn't been able to do anything,  
15 he wasn't able to vote yesterday.

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Do I -- do I report  
17 the unlawful entering and searching, search and  
18 seizure of property from my home --

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Aggravated kidnapping.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- by Captain  
21 Lauterborn, Deputy Inspector Mauriello and the other  
22 -- the other ones I don't know?

23 SERGEANT CHU: Anything you are  
24 specifically alleging, as it pertains to other  
25 members of the service, you -- those allegations can

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1 be addressed through us, Internal Affairs Bureau  
2 Group 1, because, you know, you are making  
3 allegations, whether they're criminal or just, you  
4 know, general departmental administrative, but  
5 anything that -- any -- any criminal allegations  
6 that you're making, any corruption allegations that  
7 you are making, would be done formally through  
8 Internal Affairs. I know you, just to -- I just  
9 want to make sure that Sergeant Scott's been aware,  
10 made aware, of all of these specific -- just for the  
11 record --

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't know if he  
13 recorded it.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. But just for the  
15 record, so that you know that I am receiving your  
16 complaint as it pertains to members of the service.

17 I know you have some concerns about the  
18 hospital here, that is --

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes.

20 SERGEANT CHU: -- not under my purview.

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

22 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. I understand your  
23 concern, but it's not something I can address.

24 Okay. But it's pertaining specifically to the  
25 members of the service, just so that you know, it

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1           may -- may already be on record, but just so that  
2           you know -- you know that you know it's on record,  
3           you indicated criminal acts, or what you believe are  
4           criminal acts, by certain members of the service --

5                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

6                   SERGEANT CHU: -- okay, and you just go  
7           with...

8                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: On Saturday, the 31st  
9           of October, 2009, Halloween night --

10                  SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

11                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- well, Halloween --

12                  SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

13                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I was at work, day  
14           shift, 7:00 to 3:00, first tour. At 8:05 a.m.,  
15           Lieutenant Caughey requested my activity log.  
16           Lieutenant Caughey is the integrity control officer  
17           of the 81st Precinct.

18                  SERGEANT CHU: Is that C-o-y? Or K-o-y?  
19           Or do you know?

20                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: C-a-u-g-h-e-y.

21                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

22                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Something like that.

23                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Lieutenant Caughey  
25           has previously been reported by me to Internal

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1 Affairs for burglary regarding breaking into the  
2 CO's secretary's personnel files and removing  
3 Civilian Complaint Review Board documentation from  
4 certain officers' and supervisors' --

5 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- personnel folders.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

8 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I guess as favors, I  
9 don't know, I don't even know if it was really  
10 investigated.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. No, that -- that  
12 investigation is still an active investigation, so  
13 you do not have to --

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Inactive or is  
15 active?

16 SERGEANT CHU: Active. Active.

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Active?

18 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

20 SERGEANT CHU: So, we are aware of that  
21 complaint that was made by you, so we don't have to  
22 rehash the whole complaint, as it pertains to that,  
23 I just want to address --

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It was the same guy,  
25 that's (inaudible) --

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- (inaudible).

3 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: For reasons of my  
5 story later, Lieutenant Caughey's gun is not  
6 displayed, at this time --

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

8 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- when I -- when he  
9 requests to sign my activity log.

10 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. So he asked for your  
11 activity log just for the purpose of (inaudible) --

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct. I had been  
13 on admin duty, T/S operator since -- since April.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. He still  
16 requested my activity log to scratch it. Okay,  
17 here, you know, I keep it on me to keep notes, and  
18 it's why this all happened, I believe. He took it.  
19 And he took it, he kept it for three hours. He made  
20 copies of it. He locked himself in the --  
21 Lieutenant Mascol, the Operations Lieutenant of the  
22 81st Precinct -- locked himself in the back office,  
23 made copies of my activity log and the other  
24 criminal conduct that I had been noting in there --

25 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- by supervisors in  
2 the 81st Precinct.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He gave it to me. I  
5 noted the times on a scratch piece of paper in my  
6 shirt, I didn't bring it with me, but the times are,  
7 it approximately three hours later, he gave it back to  
8 me.

9 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: A few minutes after  
11 that, he requested Sergeant Huffman into his office.  
12 Sergeant Huffman was the desk officer that day.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She was in there for  
15 about two minutes.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: When she came back  
18 out, her attitude was different --

19 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- towards me, or  
21 whatever.

22 SERGEANT CHU: Can you just...

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She was noted in  
24 there for telling -- at roll call, stating, don't  
25 take 61s for robbery if it was a cell phone, because



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1           they just do that to get a free cell phone, and  
2           don't do it if they don't come back to the precinct,  
3           they have to make the report at the precinct and be  
4           interviewed by the squad.

5                       SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

6                       ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. So, I got -- I  
7           got it back. Not really concerned about it, at this  
8           point. I put it back in my pocket and P.A.A.  
9           Boston, behind me, calls me. She's in the 24 room  
10          entering complaints. She says, What's wrong with  
11          Caughey? I said, Well, I don't know what you mean?  
12          He's walking around, he's staring at you. And then  
13          when I saw him again, I noticed it. And then I  
14          noticed his gun. He's picked up his shirt and put  
15          it around his gun. And she said, Be careful, he's  
16          staring at you. So --

17                      SERGEANT CHU: So, I presume --

18                      ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I wasn't even  
19          aware of how much I had in the activity log. I -- I  
20          take it back out of my pocket and started zooming  
21          through it and then I got worried. I said, there's  
22          no one here. Huffman, she's in here. She's -- I've  
23          been noting what she's been stating at roll calls  
24          and stuff. I've already reported him for -- I'm  
25          sure he already knows. It's not a sealed casket in

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1           here, IAB, but... And P.A. Boston, in the back, and  
2           every once in a while an officer from the street  
3           comes in to turn in paperwork, there's no one there,  
4           so I started getting more worried. And at about  
5           2:15, I don't feel good. My stomach is upset. I go  
6           to Sergeant Huffman, I give her a sick slip, one  
7           that the TS fills out when they call over the phone.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

9                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I give that to her, I  
10               said my stomach is upset, I don't feel good, I'm  
11               going home. She's on her cell phone. And she --  
12               she goes, Well, wait a minute, just wait there.

13 I go downstairs, I dress down, I come back  
14 to the desk. Before I leave I -- I go, I don't feel  
15 good, I'm going home. She said, I can give you lost  
16 time, but I can't --if you go sick, it's line of  
17 duty and we gotta fill out the paperwork. I said, I  
18 just feel sick and I need to go home. I feel sick.  
19 I'll probably be at the hospital, but I'm gonna go  
20 home first. And I left. She shrugged her  
21 shoulders, like this, and was still talking on her  
22 phone, which has a black cover on it with diamond  
23 bling stickers on it. She's talking on that, on the  
24 desk, and filling out something.

25 Lieutenant -- the lieutenant that was in

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1 the ambulance with me, after they abducted me, was  
2 at the desk also, when I told her this.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Yes. And that lieutenant's  
4 name again is --

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Lieutenant Bratwurst  
6 or Broschart, Blockhurst (phonetical) --

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

8 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- or something like  
9 that.

10 SERGEANT CHU: Does he seem like he's a --  
11 he's a day tour lieutenant, or 4:00 to 12:00  
12 lieutenant?

13 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: 4:00 to 12:00.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Sergeant Huffman is  
15 someone you regularly work with or encounter on your  
16 tour?

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I think she got back  
18 from pregnancy leave like a month ago or so.

19 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: She's usually nice  
21 and go, you know --

22 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- how you doing, and  
24 stuff like that.

25 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

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1                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But after she went  
2                   into Caughey's office, there was no eye contact, no  
3                   contact the rest of the day.

4                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay. So you were saying  
5                   that she was on her cell phone, Lieutenant  
6                   Bratwurst (inaudible) --

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I left. I go home.  
8                   I started feeling better on the ride home, I'm --  
9                   I'm out of there. I don't know what was going on,  
10                  what was coming up, but I got out of there. I get  
11                  home, I notify IAB of what happened today, about the  
12                  menacing with the gun. Now, she gave me an IAB  
13                  number, it was on my desk at home. I don't know  
14                  what's left there, at this point.

15                  SERGEANT CHU: Well, you know, I could  
16                  look that up. Obviously, it's --

17                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I took a NyQuil --  
18                  NyQuil shot for my sinuses, laid down. Woke up, ESU  
19                  was in my apartment flashing lights on me. "Show  
20                  your hands. Show your hands." Why are you -- you  
21                  know, what are you doing?" Or something to that  
22                  effect. You know, "What's -- what's this about?" I  
23                  go, "You're in my house, what are you -- what are  
24                  you asking me?"

25                  Then they leave and lieutenant -- Captain

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1           Lauterborn, the deputy inspector, come into my  
2           bedroom and said, "Come on, let's go."

3                   I go, "Go where?"   "Why?"

4                   They go, "You know why. You're coming  
5           back to the 81."

6                   I said, "I'm not going anywhere."

7                   And then they leave -- well, actually,  
8           Lauterborn continued to search my room. He's  
9           touching my computer, he's touching my cell phone,  
10          he's going through -- he's sifting through my desk  
11          and he's scanning the room, I don't know for a video  
12          recorder or whatever. I don't know.

13                   Now, Chief Marino enters my bedroom.

14                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

15                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He says, "Be a man,  
16          get up, let's go." And I said, "Why am I -- why am  
17          I going?" "Where am I going?" No answer -- or the  
18          same answer, "You know why, you're coming back --

19                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Meanwhile --

20                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- you're coming with  
21          us."

22                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant, let me  
23          interject here. Meanwhile, I'd like to clarify this  
24          statement, because I don't know this. Where was  
25          your cell phone? Because I am on the phone with

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1           Adrian, at this time. Okay. I was on the phone,  
2           because when they came through the door, or after  
3           they came through the door, he called me.

4                   How did that work? They let you call? Or  
5           did you have the phone somewhere where they didn't  
6           see it?

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No, no, no, it was --  
8           they didn't see me call you.

9                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: They didn't see.  
10          Okay. So, I was hearing (inaudible) --

11                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They didn't see me.  
12          This is when I put the recorder -- I objected --  
13          well, this lieutenant, inspections lieutenant, came  
14          in and said, "Are you -- are you refusing a lawful  
15          order?" I go, "A lawful order in my home, sitting  
16          in my bed?" He goes, "Are you refusing a lawful  
17          order?" I said, "Fine, I'll go, but I'm objecting.  
18          I'm going against my will."

19                  He said, "Fine, put your clothes on."  
20          Blah, blah, blah.

21                  I put my pants on. I get my recorder, the  
22          black one, I described there, put it in my pocket,  
23          and I'm holding the phone in my hand and I walk out.  
24          I walk out. I get to the street, I see the street,  
25          I see my neighbors all standing out, an ESU truck,

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1 the CO's unmarked SUV is blocking off 88th Place, my  
2 block, and Lieutenant Crawford is on his cell phone  
3 at the corner of 88th Place and Myrtle Avenue. I  
4 tell him what's going on. He says, don't go with  
5 them. And I -- I -- I agreed with that. And I  
6 said, "I'll go to the hospital on my own, thank you,  
7 but I'm leaving."

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I'd like to interject  
9 here, and the only reason I'm doing this, Sergeant,  
10 is because I was hearing this, okay, because the  
11 cell phone was on the phone. I was on the phone  
12 with him.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So I could hear this.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Not only did I hear  
17 it, but it was being recorded.

18 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The reason it was  
20 being recorded is because I had everything hooked up  
21 to my deal because Lauterborn, the duty captain from  
22 Brooklyn North, was calling me, intimidating me,  
23 making threats to me to make my son come outside,  
24 okay --

25 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and that if I  
2 didn't get him to come out, they were coming in and  
3 things were gonna get bad. Okay. So I was hooked  
4 up.

5 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So, when Adrian called  
7 me, this -- I not only was -- so I'm not only the  
8 complainant, I'm a witness.

9 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Because I was  
11 there. I wasn't there physically --

12 SERGEANT CHU: It's what we call an ear  
13 witness.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The ear witness?

15 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Excellent. Thank you,  
17 Sergeant. I did not know that. I'm an ear witness.

18 SERGEANT CHU: Do you recall what time the  
19 initial call was made to you?

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: By Lauterborn?

21 SERGEANT CHU: Yes? Or by anybody, was  
22 it, if not by Lauterborn?

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, Lauterborn, I  
24 would -- I mean, this is off the top, because  
25 there's been a thousand phone calls.



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1 SERGEANT CHU: I understand.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: We can verify it,  
3 too.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. This is all --  
5 you know, that's the great thing about this system  
6 today, everything is documented, you know.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: He called me and left  
9 a message on my voice machine, and I was out, okay.

10 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And I did not call  
12 back, I wanted to get hooked up, so I went home, got  
13 connected, then I called him back.

14 SERGEANT CHU: But what was the message  
15 left? What was the (inaudible) --

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The message was,  
17 basically, Adrian didn't fill out paperwork properly  
18 and he needs to come back to work.

19 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: The paperwork here is  
21 stating that, the doctor wrote, that I got into an  
22 argument at work and I left.

23 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But Captain  
25 Lauterborn, he verified to him that he did -- that I

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1           did at least fill out something, where I was, where  
2           I was going, my home --

3                   SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

4                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and why, because it  
5           was my stomach.

6                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I told the captain, I  
7           said, Adrian told me at 2:00, at -- you know, I  
8           don't know now whether I told Lieutenant -- Captain  
9           Lauterborn what was going on with Caughey and him,  
10          because Lauterborn is dirty, 100 percent, and I knew  
11          that.

12                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He threatened me last  
13          time I reported -- I called the duty captain when  
14          Lieutenant Caughey took my memo book again. He -- I  
15          was on foot post -- he -- he just -- he had just  
16          wrote me up for going to the bathroom. He took my  
17          memo book and he took off again leaving me out on  
18          the street. I requested the duty captain via the  
19          radio. Guess who the duty captain was? Captain  
20          Lauterborn. Again, it was about a 40-minute  
21          conversation, saying, it is what it is, it's only  
22          gonna get worse. And that was -- that was -- it's  
23          he does that.

24                  SERGEANT CHU: Well -- well, what do you  
25          mean? What did he do?

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Threatens. He says  
2 it's only gonna get worse.

3 SERGEANT CHU: What did you infer that --  
4 what did you interpret that as?

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I have no idea. How  
6 would he -- how he could make it worse than it  
7 already was, other than to harm me, physically.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, didn't he say  
9 something about, do you like coming in here to work  
10 everyday?

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He said, Is your  
12 stomach upset? Are you feeling bad? You don't want  
13 that, do you? (Inaudible). It's only gonna get  
14 worse. He said, It's only gonna get worse.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Oh, but this is going back  
16 some time, correct --

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Six months, March?

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: March.

19 SERGEANT CHU: -- when he made -- made  
20 some reference about --

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. It's all  
22 documented too, and recorded.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. So, we're at,  
24 I'm walking back to my house, I unlock the front  
25 door, go in, Lauterborn pushes his way in. I'm

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1           trying to close the door, he pushes his way in, I  
2           don't resist. I walk up to my apartment, unlock the  
3           door. No one's in there. The lights were out. No  
4           one was in there this time.

5                       SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

6                       ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I go in, try to shut  
7           the door, Lauterborn pushes his way in. I go to the  
8           bedroom, lay down on the bed. He's still on the  
9           phone, I'm talking to him. They're in my living  
10          room. They don't come right into my bedroom.  
11          They're in there for about two minutes, getting it  
12          together. Marino comes in, says, "Are you gonna be  
13          a man and come with us?" Similar to the first  
14          statement that I heard from him --

15                      SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

16                      ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- the first time he  
17          talked. "Are you gonna be a man and come with us?"

18                      I said, "I don't feel well, I'm not going  
19          anywhere."

20                      "So you're not coming with us?"

21                      I said, "I don't feel well, I'm staying  
22          right here."

23                      He -- he did this. Do it. He said, "Do  
24          it." And then, I was just grabbed, by the hair, the  
25          head, the neck --

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- my arms, legs.

3 And I had someone heavy stomping on my legs. And  
4 then my back, they weren't as heavy, but they were  
5 digging in. And they were grabbing my arms, they  
6 had me in a torture position, like this, not  
7 handcuffing me.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Do you recall, you said you  
9 had some bruising on your -- the bottom of your left  
10 upper arm; do you recall who was grabbing you at  
11 that time?

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Every -- I know the  
13 unidentified black male, the bald one, with the  
14 lieutenant --

15 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- inspections  
17 Lieutenant Gough --

18 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I definitely saw  
20 them. But after I -- when Marino noticed I was  
21 looking up and I could actually see them --

22 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- that's when he --  
24 he stepped on my face and then -- and then made sure  
25 his boot was covering my eyes.

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1 SERGEANT CHU: You indicated ESU did the  
2 initial entry --

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

4 SERGEANT CHU: -- ESU officers?

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But I didn't -- the  
6 next time I saw an ESU officer, there was one, his  
7 name was Barbella (phonetical) or Barbara  
8 (phonetical) or something like that. He was -- the  
9 only reason I know that is because he was in front  
10 of me when they were carrying me down the stairs.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But I believe the  
13 inspections lieutenant was the one behind me,  
14 carrying me.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. When you say  
16 carrying, in what manner were they carrying you?

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It was a -- it was  
18 the orange --

19 SERGEANT CHU: Chair?

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- ESU chair.

21 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I'm okay, I'm on the  
23 ground, they stomp on me. It feels like forever to  
24 put the cuffs on and when they finally do, I -- it's  
25 even worse than what the arm thing they were doing,

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1           they're twisting and pulling --

2                   SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

3                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and like stomping  
4           on my arm while they were stretched out. They  
5           finally handcuffed me. I hear someone sit on my bed  
6           while the black bald guy is searching through my  
7           pockets. They roll me over, he has the recorder in  
8           his hand, he gives it to Marino, Chief Marino, who  
9           was sitting on my bed.

10                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

11                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He said, "Oh, he's  
12           being cute. All right, search him for -- he's got  
13           recording devices, search him." And they search  
14           everything. The black guy was reaching down in my  
15           underwear, he found the recorder, my keys. He gave  
16           him my keys. I think it was the lieutenant. He  
17           gave them to someone. And they jingled for a second  
18           and then they didn't fall down or get placed on  
19           something, they went into a pocket somewhere, like,  
20           grabbed. They didn't make noise anymore.

21                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

22                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But I couldn't see  
23           who that was, all I could see was (indiscernible).  
24           I see Marino lay the recorder on the shelf, next to  
25           my bed. As they're lifting me up, he looks at it

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1           again, takes it with his left hand, puts it in his  
2           right hand, then puts it in the right side of his  
3           uniform jacket --

4                       SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

5                       ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- pocket. And  
6           that's -- then they had me kneel in front of him,  
7           handcuffed, him sitting on my bed, and he makes some  
8           statement like, "All we're trying to do is help you,  
9           Adrian," something like that. And he was smirking  
10          while he was saying it. Then -- oh, he also said,  
11          "I never thought I'd live to see the day where I'm  
12          locking up a cop." He said that. And a little  
13          after that, the bald black guy said, "I've never  
14          seen anything like this in 16 years."

15                      SERGEANT CHU: Okay. But, all right, so  
16          now it's -- you can proceed. At this point, now,  
17          you were being -- you were carried down in one of  
18          those orange chairs. How many flights are you up?  
19          And you're one flight up. And you're brought  
20          directly into the ambulance. And then I think you  
21          had indicated there was a -- one of the lieutenants  
22          or the Sergeant James was escorting you in the  
23          ambulance or by the ambulance?

24                      ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No, the lieutenant.

25                      SERGEANT CHU: The lieutenant.



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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant James  
2 relieved the lieutenant.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Okay, Lieutenant Bratwurst.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I didn't have a face  
5 of a clock facing me, so I don't know the exact  
6 times.

7 SERGEANT CHU: That fine. That's good  
8 enough.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But Sergeant James  
10 relieved Lieutenant Bratwurst, who also refused my  
11 request to contact IAB.

12 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

13 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And Sergeant James --  
14 and the loosening of the cuffs, which was causing  
15 numbness later on.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Sergeant James relieved the  
17 lieutenant while you were already at the hospital?

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

19 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. So, but the  
20 lieutenant was the one that was --

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: In the ambulance.

22 SERGEANT CHU: -- in the ambulance with you,  
23 over to, you were brought here, directly, Jamaica  
24 Hospital?

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I had requested

3 Forest Hills, but they --

4 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- that's not a city

6 hospital, I guess.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah, I don't believe it

8 is, actually. Offhand, I don't really know.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. They had to  
10 have control over this.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: The -- I just wanna  
13 note that Lieutenant Bratwurst, on the cuffs --

14 SERGEANT CHU: Uh-huh.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- the unnecessary  
16 use of force. And Sergeant James, unnecessary use  
17 of force. Sergeant Sawyer, when they relieved --  
18 again, I was trying to use the phone, Sergeant  
19 Sawyer arrived sometime early in the morning  
20 Sunday --

21 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- decided to double  
23 cuff me, cuff both my hands. Police Officer Miller,  
24 Officer Saworski and a couple cops from the 102, I  
25 think, helped them. They -- again, it was kinda

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1           like similar, they all grabbed me and --

2                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Double cuffed.

3                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- double cuffed me.

4           And they did it even better than they did in my own  
5           home. The doctor did tell them, that has to be  
6           loosened. And they did. Officer Miller loosened  
7           it, reluctantly.

8                   SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Now, you were --

9                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And the request for  
10          IAB --

11                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

12                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- from both Sergeant  
13          James, Lieutenant Bratwurst.

14                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

15                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And Officer Miller  
16          and Officer -- or Sergeant Sawyer, both armed,  
17          they're not in uniform.

18                  SERGEANT CHU: And you said they are from  
19          the 102?

20                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No. Those -- I don't  
21          know who the other officer -- she was recruiting  
22          officers to help molest me and hold me down and keep  
23          me under control, when all I wanted was a phone  
24          call.

25                  Nurse Lynn is a witness. Lynn and Dr.

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1           Syrus or Cyrus, something like that. I don't know  
2           how she spells her name Lynn, but Nurse Lynn.

3                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Doc -- Sergeant, I'd  
4           like to interject here, too. After I found him at  
5           the hospital, because since I heard that they hauled  
6           him off, it took me a few hours to find him, okay,  
7           and then being Halloween night, getting through on  
8           the phone was a nightmare --

9                   SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

10                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I kept getting hung  
11           up on, get redirected, or they were so busy nobody  
12           could talk to me, okay --

13                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

14                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- but I was able to  
15           contact, luckily, a sergeant in a security  
16           department. I called and I tried to go that route.  
17           I got to a sergeant, I explained what was going on.  
18           So he said, "I'll go up and I'll find out what's  
19           going on." He went up and he was able to get a  
20           nurse to call me. And this nurse, I believe, was  
21           Lynn, this one he's talking about. She called me  
22           and she told me what was going on. And she told me  
23           that he was being intimidated, they were  
24           intimidating the staff, the doctors and the nurses  
25           were scared. The cops were -- cops were running the

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1 show.

2 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The cops are running  
4 the show, nobody was secure. Because I said, see, I  
5 -- I got the security director to call the  
6 administrator. It gets so heavy. I mean, I was  
7 laying down pretty good. He got scared, he called  
8 the hospital administrator. And he told -- he said  
9 the hospital administrator told him, it's a police  
10 deal, we've got nothing to do with it. I said tell  
11 that administrator it's their hospital and if he's  
12 in medical care, that doctor's the one that should  
13 have had them -- I was a police officer 20 years,  
14 I've been in the emergency room a lot with a lot of  
15 people, if that doctor tells you to take those cuffs  
16 off because it is hurting the patient and he needs  
17 to provide services, you have to remove them, unless  
18 it's a threatening situation. He wasn't being  
19 violent or threatening. Okay.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I was protesting that  
21 I -- why can't I use the phone.

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. They wouldn't  
23 let him use the phone.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I wasn't fighting  
25 anyone.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: When Lynn -- Sergeant  
2 James is a female, about this tall -- when Lynn  
3 would try to get the phone to him, I'd have officers  
4 hang up on me. They'd take the phone from him and  
5 hang up. They put him incommunicado, so he could  
6 not talk. And she said they were intimidating,  
7 they're intimidating the staff, they wouldn't  
8 letting them talk to each other. He wasn't allowed  
9 to eat, drink, and he was not allowed to go to the  
10 bathroom, he had to pee in a cup.

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I asked another  
12 patient to get me water and he did.

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And he had to pee in a  
14 cup. And they would not take his handcuffs -- and  
15 she said his handcuff -- his hand was swelling up  
16 and turning blue, but they would not lower the cuff.  
17 And I said, Were the doctors aware of that? And she  
18 said they've intimidated them. They -- they're not  
19 gonna do it.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant Sawyer, I  
21 don't recall requesting IAB from him, but he is  
22 unnecessary use of force.

23 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Unlawful detainment,  
25 unnecessary use of force. He bought into it.

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1                   SERGEANT CHU: Why -- was there any reason you  
2                   -- and I'm not indicating one way or the other  
3                   that they should have or shouldn't have -- but was  
4                   there any reason that you -- was it to your  
5                   understanding why, when Sergeant Sawyer arrived, why  
6                   he double cuffed you?

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He said why -- why  
8                   you letting the perp use the phone? And then --  
9                   then I think I relayed that to you, what he was  
10                  saying. And Sergeant James said something, but I  
11                  wasn't making it out, I was on the phone with him  
12                  and he --

13                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I asked to speak to  
14                  the sergeant. I asked to speak to them, could I  
15                  speak to one of the supervisors there, and she  
16                  wouldn't talk to me.

17                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He goes, He's not  
18                  supposed to be on the phone.

19                  SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

20                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And I told him what  
21                  he was saying, and he overheard me saying that, and  
22                  then it was --

23                  SERGEANT CHU: Well, when you were -- you  
24                  were -- at the time you were cuffed, you were cuffed  
25                  to what?

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: A gurney.

2 SERGEANT CHU: A gurney.

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But I was out of the  
4 gurney --

5 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and standing up,  
7 holding the phone.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Was it the pay  
9 phone, I presume? Or like a --

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It was -- no, it  
11 wasn't a pay phone.

12 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. It was one like the  
13 phone like on the wall right there, almost?

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah.

15 SERGEANT CHU: And then, when you say,  
16 "double cuff," you meant they cuffed your other --  
17 your free hand?

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I was cuffed like  
19 this, the other side of the gurney.

20 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. All right. What  
21 were -- what was the lieutenant and sergeant's  
22 response to you, when you requested --

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No response. No one  
24 even said a word to me.

25 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.



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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- other than when  
2 she was telling me to get off the phone --

3 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- and stuff like  
5 that. But, no, when I requested IAB, they just --  
6 they even -- Sergeant James even snickered.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And this was -- as  
8 you were saying, I think, now you were saying now, I  
9 think we're going to Sunday morning with Sergeant  
10 Sawyer getting there, right? And I think you met  
11 with Sergeant Scott, was it yesterday, I believe, or  
12 Monday? Well, today's Wednesday --

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Wednesday.

14 SERGEANT CHU: -- was it Monday? I think,  
15 you met (inaudible) --

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I think it was Monday  
17 night, (inaudible) when he came. I think it was  
18 Monday night.

19 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Do you have any  
20 other specific allegations as it pertains to any  
21 officers, other than what you already described,  
22 because I want to make sure that we capture your --

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant, let me  
24 clarify -- and the only reason I'm saying this is,  
25 I'm not trying to live vicariously through my son,

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1 the last thing I wanna do is get involved in any  
2 more police work, okay --

3 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- but, I'm in this,  
5 okay --

6 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- because I was his  
8 only I guess you call a lifeline. I'm the only one  
9 he can trust. Okay.

10 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So he can, like any  
12 good father or son, he's gonna confide in me.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So I'm privy to a lot  
15 of this.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Adrian's been telling  
18 me for the last year what's been going on in the  
19 department.

20 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. All the stuff  
22 going on.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible) going on  
24 in the department.

25 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Well, it is

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1 the department, regardless of what part of the  
2 department, it is the NYPD. I believe it's a  
3 systemic, chronic problem. I believe it's chronic  
4 and I believe it's systemic, department-wide.

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But if it's not, it's  
6 just a minority (inaudible) --

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. Yeah, exactly,  
8 then it's a minority issue. But I don't believe  
9 it's just a minority issue. But that's a personal  
10 opinion.

11 I told Adrian that I thought the best  
12 thing for him to do was just, let's leave. I wanted  
13 to move him to New Mexico. His mother, my wife of  
14 30 years, died a horrible death of cancer. Adrian  
15 came up from Texas. He was going to the University  
16 of Texas after he got out of the Navy. He was  
17 working for Motorola, he got a great job, going to  
18 the University of Texas, he was thinking about  
19 becoming a doctor, and he's smart, he's talented.  
20 And I'm not just saying it's my kid, he's just a  
21 good kid. He doesn't drink. He doesn't smoke.  
22 He's normal. He's funny. He's quiet. But he just  
23 likes movies and reading books and he's just normal.  
24 I mean, there's no anything about him. We've always  
25 been close. I said, Adrian, look, you're never

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1           gonna take on something like the NYPD.

2                       SERGEANT CHU: Right.

3                       LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. I fought it 20  
4 years; I was a labor leader, I was a delegate for  
5 the AFL-CIO, I was a president of the local. I've  
6 got a degree in criminal justice, I got an advanced  
7 certificate in law enforcement from the State of  
8 Texas, I was on the board of directors in CLEAT,  
9 which was the largest police union in the State of  
10 Texas. Again, I was the president of my own local.  
11 I've sat on boards and I've testified in many  
12 hearings all the way to the Texas Supreme Court,  
13 both on the civil and the criminal side. I've  
14 testified for grand juries. You know, I've been  
15 there. That's all I'm saying.

16                      So, I told Adrian, look, you're -- you're  
17 never gonna take them on. I reached out for him  
18 trying to get councilmen involved, trying to get  
19 community leaders involved, trying to get the ACLU  
20 involved. I started studying up. Buying books  
21 involving the NYPD. Just everything. Learning the  
22 culture and the background of the NYPD, which I  
23 hadn't really brought up to you, going back almost  
24 40 years, I don't know if your familiar with the --  
25 the book *Target Blue* by Robert Daley?

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1 SERGEANT CHU: I've heard of the title. I  
2 can't -- I don't have any --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You ought to get it.  
4 You're an NYPD detective. So I was very familiar  
5 because I'm from New York State, I grew up in New  
6 York State, I'm not a city boy, I'm an upstate boy.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: But I grew up in the  
9 60's and the 70's and I was very familiar with the  
10 NYPD. My father worked at General Electric for 40  
11 years, then he went to serve in World War II, came  
12 back, went back -- back to worked for General  
13 Electric and every day, like clock work, my father  
14 brought home a Daily News and set it in our little  
15 country farmhouse. Okay. So, I was very up to date  
16 on New York City.

17 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

18 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So, my wife -- when I  
19 went to service, my wife got me *Target Blue*. She  
20 got me *Target Blue*, when it came out, by Robert  
21 Daley. And I read it. And I was very interested  
22 then in, you know, the whole Ed Eagan and all that  
23 stuff.

24 Well, I told Adrian, you know, it's --  
25 it's -- I started studying up and getting caught up

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1 to contemporary times on what's going on in the New  
2 York police and everything, and when I started  
3 talking to people in the community and everything, I  
4 found out that Adrian's -- Adrian's issues,  
5 everybody is aware of them, and those are the issues  
6 of zero tolerance. The zero tolerance. Collars,  
7 collars, collars, collars, collars. And I'm using  
8 NYPD lingo.

9 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Collars, collars,  
11 collars. Summonses, summonses, summonses,  
12 summonses. No discretion. Just arrest. Tickets,  
13 ticket, tickets, tickets. 250s. Fake 250s. Write  
14 fake tickets. Write them to anybody. Turn them in.  
15 Nobody checks them. And it was a zero tolerance.  
16 All about numbers. All about CompStat. Just  
17 numbers. Fake 61s. Downgrading 61s. You wanna --  
18 you don't want felonies, down grade them. If it's a  
19 major felony theft, you get it below where it's a  
20 misdemeanor. Grand theft auto, can't have any of  
21 those. You down grade and you shit can them to get  
22 rid of them. Your head goes out -- the commander  
23 goes out into the precinct and says -- tells the  
24 community leaders, you have problems, you can call,  
25 call the precinct. Call the precinct. Why they

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1 call the precinct? Nothing's recorded in the  
2 precinct.

3 So if the call comes in and says, tells  
4 the 81 that my car was stolen, okay, if they send --  
5 if, if they send a car out, okay, the report is  
6 either they're not gonna take it, they're gonna try  
7 to nullify the victim, or a supervisor, a sergeant/  
8 lieutenant is going to show up and they're gonna put  
9 an X to that complaint. They're gonna do away with  
10 it or they're gonna down grade it. This goes on  
11 everyday, on every call.

12 Also, forget about calling the police, if  
13 they're busy writing tickets, they don't respond to  
14 the calls. They neglect calls for service of  
15 citizens. They don't go. Okay. Amnesty arrests.  
16 Arresting guys in the station house for bringing in  
17 a gun. I said, Adrian, they had to have had a  
18 warrant or something. We checked some of them,  
19 nothing. Nothing. Checked the reports, again, at  
20 his safety, when you start doing this, when you  
21 start picking your head up and start looking at  
22 stuff everybody knows what's going on, so it was  
23 very dangerous, and where this all came about is  
24 when he decided instead of us going to New Mexico,  
25 he had to stay, he couldn't walk away, he wanted --

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1 he wanted to do what he could do, which I  
2 desperately tried to talk him out of, I told him,  
3 you would be in danger, and he chose to go this  
4 route.

5 I reached out to a friend of mine, retired  
6 Detective Lieutenant David Durk. David got  
7 involved. He counseled Adrian and me. He worked  
8 with us on this. And I believe that it leaked that  
9 David Durk was helping Adrian a couple weeks ago and  
10 this is what brought this on. That is what I  
11 believe now from what I'm hearing in my contacts in  
12 the department, that this was a leak somewhere in  
13 internal affairs and that's what brought this about.

14 And, notice, this was kept to a command  
15 all the way up to the Brooklyn North Command. Okay.  
16 I believe that Commander Mauriello, Steven  
17 Mauriello, the deputy inspector, commander of the  
18 81, he's known Adrian was a problem for a long time.  
19 This is well documented. They know Adrian was  
20 watching them. They know Adrian was watching them.  
21 They know Adrian was recording them. They knew what  
22 was going on. He had let everything slide. He was  
23 trying to deal with it himself, but he didn't know  
24 what to do. In fact, he brought -- he reached out  
25 to people in the command and want -- and asked, what



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1 do I do about Schoolcraft? What do I do about  
2 Schoolcraft? He was trying to get help. Finally,  
3 he had to pick up the phone and call what I believe  
4 is his Rabbi in the department and that's Marino. I  
5 think now we verified who Mauriello's Rabbi was and  
6 that was Marino. Marino had to come and help his  
7 little boy out. Marin-- Mauriello is about to get  
8 promoted to inspector. Marino is his Rabbi.  
9 They're moving up the ladder together. Marino got  
10 involved. I believe that night, Mauriello was  
11 hiding and Marino went and got him out, just like a  
12 gangster -- Central Park 450 --

13 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: There was -- there  
14 was another male there that I would -- I can  
15 recognize. I think he was a retired --

16 DR. ISAKOV: Can I interrupt you for a  
17 minute?

18 SERGEANT CHU: Yes. Absolutely.

19 DR. ISAKOV: How long it will take?

20 SERGEANT CHU: I believe we should  
21 actually -- it shouldn't take more than another 10  
22 minutes or so before I think I pretty much addressed  
23 his -- I captured the -- the major components of his  
24 complaint that we have to address. So, if you could  
25 just permit about another 10 minutes or so, we could

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1 be --

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: In 10 minutes, could  
3 we bring Christine McMahon back in here?

4 DR. ISAKOV: Which one?

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Christine McMahon.

6 DR. ISAKOV: I will see if she's still  
7 here.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Ask her if she  
9 could stay around. I'll pay her overtime.

10 Anyways, just like some gangsters and  
11 little kids in Central Park, they decide they're  
12 gonna jump on some little female jogger, okay, and  
13 then you got the -- you got the one out of the gang  
14 that's kinda stepping back, and then the other kids  
15 go, hey, you get in on this too. And that's just  
16 what Marino did that night --

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: There was another  
18 male there hiding behind the ESU truck with  
19 Mauriello.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Everybody --

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He was in  
22 plainclothes. He was an older guy. I could  
23 recognize him. I think his photo is in the Brooklyn  
24 North building, they have this brand new plaque set  
25 up, and I think I was just looking at his photo a

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1 couple days earlier, when I was seeing Sergeant  
2 Devino about my appeal, and I think he's a retired  
3 somebody from Brooklyn North. And I think that's  
4 the one, the orchestrator of this, who said, this is  
5 what you do.

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: The architect.

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Now, you saw like this  
9 picture, like in the (inaudible) --

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I can identify him if  
11 I see his picture, I can remember who he was.

12 SERGEANT CHU: So he may be -- he may be  
13 an active member then, right, and you said you saw  
14 his picture?

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't think. I  
16 think he's retired. I think that's what I was  
17 reading, when I was reading the thing. He has a  
18 very familiar face. It's gruffy, but it's not  
19 dirty. It's -- he has kind of it looks like a beard  
20 with --

21 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- thin glasses on.

23 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And I just wanna --  
25 Lieutenant Crawford's nickname is The Shredder.

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1           There is a cartoon inside the 81st Precinct crime  
2           office --

3                       SERGEANT CHU: Uh-huh.

4                       ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- or at the last  
5           time I was in there -- of a paper shredder and his  
6           face is on it. He's the special operations  
7           lieutenant. He's known as the shredder for getting  
8           rid of complaints.

9                       SERGEANT CHU: I'm -- just out of  
10          curiosity, when did -- when did you serve your time  
11          in law enforcement, sir?

12                      LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, actually, from  
13          '75 to 2001.

14                      SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Which -- which  
15          agency?

16                      LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Several. First, I  
17          started out in the military and I was in military  
18          police investigations. When I got out of the Army,  
19          I went to work for the Austin Police Department.  
20          From the Austin Police Department, I went to work  
21          for the University Park Police Department in Dallas.  
22          After that, I was in the Fort Worth Marshal's  
23          Office.

24                      SERGEANT CHU: Okay. I just wanted, just  
25          out of curiosity.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh.

2 SERGEANT CHU: Thank you.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Glad to tell you.

4 SERGEANT CHU: You had relayed to Adrian  
5 about wanting -- that you believed that he should have  
6 removed himself from the department, or talked about  
7 going to New Mexico out of --

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. I was --

9 SERGEANT CHU: -- just out of concern?

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I was just saying,  
11 you can't -- you're just gonna be miserable. You're  
12 gonna -- it's gonna be terrible. And, you know,  
13 I've done it for 20 years, tried to bring change and  
14 tried to -- the biggest thing that's always  
15 concerning to me is, I thought I had worked in  
16 hostile environments. I've worked -- as a police  
17 officer, I've worked in departments that were great.  
18 Okay. I -- I've worked in the military. I worked  
19 in departments that were very -- that your working  
20 environment was great and I've worked in ones that  
21 were nightmares. And the NYPD's a nightmare. Where  
22 he is, it's a nightmare. A person can't live in  
23 that environment for very long. You can't. And I  
24 don't think there is an officer down there that'll  
25 tell you, it's not the stuff outside, it's the stuff

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1           inside. And we already know how bad it is on the  
2           streets of any precinct in New York City. Okay.  
3           It's stressful. But then for it to be compounded by  
4           your own people and to work in such an unfriendly  
5           work environment that they create, they create this  
6           mess. I believe they create an -- they -- they let  
7           an atmosphere exist that breeds corruption, just  
8           like a hot house grows flowers. And I believe -- I  
9           believe that's the problem.

10                   I told him this. I tried to dissuade it.  
11           And as he was --

12                   SERGEANT CHU: Were -- were --

13                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- I didn't mean to  
14           -- as he mulling on this, they gave him a bad  
15           evaluation. And the strange thing about this is, if  
16           I'm clear, and I've -- I've tried to bring myself up  
17           to policy, I have every -- I have the patrol guide,  
18           I have the administrative guide, the organizational  
19           guide, I have every book I could get my hands on,  
20           I've studied everything, I've studied New York State  
21           labor law, and I studied civil service law, New York  
22           City civil service law and I have tried to bring  
23           myself -- and New York City charter -- and I've  
24           tried to bring myself up quickly to speed, so I know  
25           what was going on -- and I got to back up, what was

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1 I talking about, once I went down that road?

2 SERGEANT CHU: About just, you know,  
3 bringing yourself up to speed through all of this.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh. He got a -- he  
5 got a bad evaluation and, you know, this was right  
6 during the time that we were getting ready to, you  
7 know, make a move. And I said, Adrian, you can't --  
8 you can't go and try to apply to another department  
9 with a bad evaluation, you know, it will haunt you,  
10 so I told him to appeal it. And after he appealed  
11 it, everything started to happen.

12 SERGEANT CHU: What time -- what time  
13 frame was --

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, this is the  
15 interesting thing, sergeant --

16 SERGEANT CHU: -- (inaudible)?

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- the -- he got  
18 his --

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They put signs on my  
20 doors (inaudible) --

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- in the locker  
23 room.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: He got his evaluation  
25 on January 29th of this year. And when I looked --

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1 and I could be wrong on this, but from memory, I've  
2 got a lot of stuff in my head -- I believe that  
3 evaluations are supposed to be completed before --  
4 between January 15th and -- I mean December 15th and  
5 January 15th, okay, and if they're not, then there  
6 is a policy that you have to -- the commander has to  
7 tell somebody why. Okay. So they're saying Adrian  
8 is a substandard employee, okay, they give him a  
9 2.5, but if you add up his scores, it's a 3.75, they  
10 say he's substandard and he's been counseled and he  
11 needs all this stuff, but yet there's no monthly --  
12 I mean quarterly evaluations detailing Adrian's, you  
13 know, deficiencies. There's no counseling slips.  
14 There's no counseling of anything. On his  
15 monthlies, nothing's documented on those. And why,  
16 if you've got a deficient employee and you've got  
17 four weeks, four weeks to evaluate him, wouldn't he  
18 be the first one you would evaluate? Okay. December  
19 15th wouldn't you cut him an evaluation? No. They  
20 didn't do it the first day of December 15th, they  
21 didn't do it the last day of January 15th, they  
22 waited two more weeks, so six weeks, two weeks  
23 beyond the maximum time they're allowed to do an  
24 evaluation, six weeks to give an employee a  
25 substandard evaluation. Okay.



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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And they rely on it.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And then -- and then  
3 after that, he got signs on the door, Mauriello was  
4 heard in the hallway -- because he appealed --  
5 Mauriello was heard saying to somebody -- we've got  
6 all these names and everything, I'm just telling you  
7 the story real quick -- he said, Stukes screwed up  
8 -- Stukes is the Sergeant -- he screwed up, what am  
9 I supposed to do with this? What am I supposed to  
10 do? He gets a sign on his locker saying, Get  
11 another job, you know, and that sign is still there.  
12 He's getting -- he gets put on foot patrol in the  
13 cold, in the hot, whatever it is, he gets. He  
14 gets --

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They took my gun and  
16 shield pretty quick after that.

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. They took his  
18 gun and shield in April because he was having  
19 stomach problems. Okay. So, of course, he has to  
20 go to LeFrak. They can't give him admin sick for a  
21 day or two every once in (indiscernible), but, you  
22 know, he has an impeccable sick record. Okay. Now,  
23 so they send him to LeFrak and Dr. Lamstein takes  
24 his shield and gun and to this day she has not told  
25 him why.

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1                   Now, they'll all tell you now they told  
2                   him, but evidently he's too embarrassed to tell me.  
3                   Okay. I said, fine, put it in writing. Put it in  
4                   writing. No. She will not put anything in writing.  
5                   Nothing in writing. She won't let him see his  
6                   file.

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I saw her.

8                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You know, she saw him  
9                   last week, that file's laying right there -- and  
10                  this is all recorded, this is all documented, so  
11                  this isn't just me, we have this, this is evidence  
12                  -- he asked to see your file -- his file sitting  
13                  right there on the desk, right next to him, she  
14                  would not let him see it. She says -- he says,  
15                  fine, can I read it? No, you cannot read it, this  
16                  is property of the NYPD. Can I have my diagnosis in  
17                  writing? No. What's my treatment plan? She  
18                  wouldn't give it to him. Nothing. All they do is  
19                  take his shield and gun.

20                  I've asked. I called the deputy mayor of  
21                  operations, okay, and I've talked to the  
22                  commissioner's office, he's had no clear cut --  
23                  after they took the shield and gun and put him on  
24                  modified duty, restricted duty, whatever you wanna  
25                  call it, nobody has counseled him and told him what

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1 his duties are now. Duties of sworn, okay, versus  
2 non-sworn. Okay. I mean, what is he supposed to  
3 do? So if this is a psychological issue, they got  
4 him down at the 81, they've got him making arrests  
5 in the precinct house --

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Forced arrest,  
7 vouchering loaded firearms that people find.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Handling loaded fire  
9 arms. Okay. Now, this is all documented,  
10 photographed and documented. This is all evidence.  
11 All again, David Durk orchestrated it, architected  
12 it, told us what to do. It's all been documented,  
13 photographed, recorded.

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It's all gonna be a  
15 report to the commissioner.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: We were gonna -- he  
17 was gonna do a report to the commissioner.

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I am gonna do a  
19 report to the commissioner.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, we are. We are.  
21 But that's what this was all gonna be on. A year's  
22 study and a report to the commissioner. This is  
23 what got out, they couldn't let this to happen, they  
24 had to discredit --

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't think they

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1 knew about the report.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No, they didn't know.  
3 They didn't. But they could not let --

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They knew -- they  
5 knew about Caughey and the report and the 61s being  
6 trashed.

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I feel now, with what  
8 happened, they had to have somehow been monitoring  
9 our phones or something --

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They get crazy with  
11 it.

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. Or they placed a  
13 -- they knew too much information, I mean --

14 SERGEANT CHU: All right. Just so I -- I  
15 don't profess to know everything and everyone, but  
16 Durk is, he was, at one time -- who is he?

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: He's a retired  
18 detective lieutenant.

19 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Lieutenant.

20 SERGEANT CHU: Retired Lieutenant. Is it  
21 D-i-r-k or --

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: D-u-r-k.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: D-u-r-k.

24 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. And you believe that  
25 there was some information leak as far as the

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1 communication with Lieutenant Durk?

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: That's what I think  
3 brought this on, but, I -- I -- and I don't think  
4 I'm an alarmist, I -- I think somehow somebody  
5 was --

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He was so upset, he  
7 called IAB himself.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He was -- he was  
10 secret, then he got upset. He's kind of old now,  
11 but he was upset.

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: He's dying of cancer.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, I believe that  
15 it got leaked out. Once they found out he was  
16 involved and -- but I do believe somehow they were  
17 monitoring, because I don't know whether they put a  
18 listening device -- I'm not saying legal stuff, I'm  
19 saying somehow something was monitored, because  
20 there was a lot of stuff going on in the last -- the  
21 last week, prior to this, that it's us talking, what  
22 we were talking about, if they had heard that,  
23 that's what brought this on. So that's why I'm  
24 saying something, somewhere -- I'm not up on current  
25 technology and everything, so I have no idea, but I

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1 believe they intercepted something, e-mails, cell  
2 phone --

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Before I forget, when  
4 they carried me out that last time, there were white  
5 shirts and unidentified plainclothes still in my  
6 apartment. And when -- the reason I know that that  
7 lieutenant was the one behind me --

8 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- or close behind  
10 me, when they finally put it down, they loaded me in  
11 the gurney, he would -- he did this and then he  
12 walked up the stairs into my -- into the house and  
13 up to my room, where they still were when they  
14 carried me off in the ambulance.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Now, I was wondering,  
16 could you -- if there is any way you could find out,  
17 by chance, did they voucher anything that they took?

18 SERGEANT CHU: I -- I could do -- I could  
19 -- I could look into seeing what was removed from  
20 the apartment.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Maybe Marino vouchered  
22 the recorder.

23 SERGEANT CHU: But you did see -- but your  
24 last observation was that he had it in his hand --

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: In his right jacket

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1 pocket.

2 SERGEANT CHU: -- transposed it from one  
3 hand to another and put it into his right jacket  
4 pocket?

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct.

6 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Now, sergeant, I have  
8 been calling Marino and everything and asking where  
9 his property was and nobody will return my call.  
10 I've been asking what his status is, nobody will  
11 return my call.

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They give -- they  
13 still have -- I believe they still have the keys.  
14 Is there anyway -- since I can't do it, is there any  
15 way someone can interview my landlord to see if  
16 anyone has been in my apartment for --

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Of course, you have to  
18 understand, his landlord is very good friends with  
19 Delafuente, the lieutenant in (inaudible) --

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Who was my lieutenant  
21 at the 81, who signed off on my failed evaluation.

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And who lives next  
23 door to when this happened and if he wasn't  
24 working (inaudible) --

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Who hasn't talked to

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1 me since I appealed it.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. He hasn't  
3 talked to him. So he's in on it. And Teddy, his  
4 landlord's in on it. So, you're not -- you're not  
5 gonna get truthful -- he's a shady character  
6 anyways, but, I mean, we didn't know that when you  
7 moved in there, so...

8 SERGEANT CHU: All right.

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: But, any -- anyway,  
10 so, a lot of stuff is going -- this all has been  
11 documented. You could talk a year about it. It's  
12 all gonna have to come out. All the recordings are  
13 gonna have to be listened to. And, again, it's all  
14 gonna -- (indiscernible) my stuff, because I don't  
15 know what they took out of his apartment, but it's  
16 not gonna do them any good because I've got it. If  
17 he's got one, I got two of everything he's got. So,  
18 you know, it didn't do them any good, it's just  
19 gonna make them look worse, so... But, it's gonna  
20 -- it's gonna have to be -- I talked to Lieutenant  
21 Cassel about this today, as a matter of fact and --

22 SERGEANT CHU: You initially indicated  
23 that you laid -- and I want to take your -- I want  
24 to address your complaints as you perceive them to  
25 be.



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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Of attempted murder  
2 by --

3 SERGEANT CHU: Attempted murder.

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- inspector -- Chief  
5 Mauri -- Mau --

6 SERGEANT CHU: Marino.

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- Marino.

8 SERGEANT CHU: That he actually wanted to  
9 see to your demise at that time?

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct. He had EM  
11 -- he was there when EMS advised me that my vitals  
12 were such a condition I had to go to the hospital.  
13 He knew that was gonna happen.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Or he was hoping that  
16 it would happen.

17 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. All right. Well,  
18 I've taken in a lot of information, a lot of it, I  
19 will confer with Sergeant Scott to make sure  
20 whatever information he does not have, I'll furnish  
21 it to him. The only thing I can suggest to you,  
22 again, as -- but -- and I'm not -- I don't speak on  
23 behalf of the department, I'm not trying to tell you  
24 in any capacity as per NYPD or as per Sergeant Chu,  
25 you do have to be guided with -- we have no input as

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1 to how the hospital wants to -- how they determine  
2 to -- in your -- in their view of treating you,  
3 okay. So, you know, I would just suggest that you  
4 know, you just be (inaudible) --

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: We never implied that  
6 you did.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. So, I just want  
8 to --

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It's obvious what's  
10 -- what's going on has got to be investigated.

11 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. So --

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It could be something  
13 as simple as -- I was thinking it was something more  
14 -- I think it's something as simple as officers  
15 lying on the report.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. Okay.

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They -- they're  
18 taking statements from officers and don't even know  
19 their names.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Did you tell him your  
21 three-hour interview with Quality Assurance?

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I told them I  
23 reported this thing.

24 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. So you already were  
25 interviewed by QAD, right?

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1                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Correct. And then  
2                   seven days after that, I was placed on forced  
3                   monitoring.

4                   SERGEANT CHU: And when did -- when did  
5                   this occur?

6                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I didn't find out  
7                   about that until Sergeant -- I saw Sergeant Devino  
8                   regarding the appeal of my evaluation. She showed  
9                   it to me. She did a pepper check, she said.

10                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

11                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And she showed me the  
12                  14.

13                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So he talked to  
14                  Quality Assurance for three hours and then right  
15                  after that they put him on performance monitoring.  
16                  Of course, they don't tell him.

17                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I mean, Sergeant  
18                  Scott called the 81 and left a message with the PBA  
19                  delegate, Richie Braun, yeah, tell Schoolcraft Scott  
20                  -- Sergeant Scott from IAB is trying to get ahold of  
21                  him. Didn't even leave his phone number.

22                  SERGEANT CHU: All right.

23                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And also Scott wanted  
24                  -- Scott was very interested in who -- who initiated  
25                  this. Who was talking to IAB. Okay. So I don't

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1 know what Scott has to do with this, but why did  
2 Scott care who initiated the contact? Who was  
3 talking to Captain del Pozo? Okay. Adrian told him  
4 it was David Durk. And then, a week after that,  
5 this happens to Adrian? So I don't know who's  
6 talking.

7 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Somebody talks out of  
9 school. Somebody freaked and they overreacted.

10 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And -- but I believe  
12 it's because, I told Adrian, it's not always what's  
13 in the closet, it's the fact that you know  
14 something's in the closet. You don't always know --  
15 because you know this is in the closet, but you  
16 don't know what else is in the closet.

17 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

18 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And I think -- I just  
19 think --

20 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. Does anyone have  
21 your contact information, sir? I probably --

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh, yeah. I was --  
23 ever since I became a witness --

24 SERGEANT CHU: -- I mean like from IAB, I  
25 mean?

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Of course.

2 Everything.

3 SERGEANT CHU: Sergeant Scott, are you --

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Everybody has  
5 everything. I mean everything.

6 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. I just wanted to  
7 make sure before I --

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Do you want --  
9 I'll give it to you again, so you got it?

10 SERGEANT CHU: Oh sure. I just want --

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It's -- well, my name is  
12 Larry.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Same last name,  
15 Schoolcraft.

16 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

17 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And it's (646) --

18 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- 957 --

20 SERGEANT CHU: Um-hmm.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- 2486.

22 SERGEANT CHU: 2486. Okay. All right.

23 So let me just -- I'm just going to speak to the

24 doctor, so that I have his name and the social

25 worker's name. Is there anything else that you want

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1 to address with them, while I'm here?

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. I'd like to  
3 talk to them while you're here.

4 SERGEANT CHU: Okay. I just need to --

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: We're trying to  
6 dispel this paranoia myth that they're creating to  
7 keep me here.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I mean, it's not, it  
10 was still abduction --

11 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- even though he knows  
13 I'm here now.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- but they intended  
16 not to tell him, just like they intended to murder me.

17 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He intended to kill  
19 me that day, that's why they held me in that  
20 position. I told them my chest was hurting, I  
21 wasn't feeling well and they tried to kill me.  
22 And then they assaulted me and then they abducted me.  
23 They, at least, kidnapped me.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: They were hoping that  
25 it would be an accident or something, something --

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Oh, he was  
2 crazy. He was upset or some bullshit like that.

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible).

4 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And that's exactly  
5 how it's going to be presented to the Queens DA, or  
6 the Brooklyn DA, where is this, however -- however  
7 this goes.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Queens DA, public  
9 integrity, US Attorney's office, FBI, it's all --  
10 everybody's --

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Is there any question  
12 to the attempted murder charge? Did I explain  
13 anything less than attempted murder?

14 SERGEANT CHU: Well, I do -- that will not  
15 be (inaudible)--

16 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: The EMS stated -- I  
17 don't remember them saying my blood pressure, but  
18 they said, He's gotta go to the hospital.

19 SERGEANT CHU: Now, this was after --

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And again, they were  
21 talking to them. The EMS guy was talking to them.  
22 And I said, why are you talking to them about my  
23 medical condition?

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. I remember  
25 hearing that.

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1                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And he just, he just  
2                   did this, like, um-hmm, you know, just looked at me  
3                   like --

4                   SERGEANT CHU: Well, when they -- just to  
5                   clarify, when he said your vitals looked tachy --

6                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: He said -- that was the  
7                   word he used.

8                   SERGEANT CHU: -- that was after you were  
9                   stepped on by Chief Marino?

10                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: No, no, it was  
11                  before.

12                  SERGEANT CHU: This is before.

13                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: This was when I went  
14                  out with them --

15                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

16                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- reluctantly, I  
17                  objected.

18                  SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

19                  ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But they said that I  
20                  was disobeying a lawful -- I don't know, I just woke  
21                  up, I just had a shot of NyQuil, I just woke up.  
22                  Okay. I better go with them.

23                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant, what I don't  
24                  understand, I believe they suspended him and took  
25                  his ID card, so if --



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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: The Lieutenant said,  
2 Where's his ID? I take out my wallet, I give him my  
3 ID. He looks at me like -- and like with shock on  
4 his face. And my answer was like, go now.

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: They told him --  
6 right, they told him he was suspended. So if he's  
7 suspended, why does he have to go anywhere with  
8 them? First of all --

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And where was my  
10 delegate?

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah.

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And where was --

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, where has his  
14 delegate been?

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- (indiscernible) or  
16 somebody else, they're coming to an EDP police  
17 officer? I understand ESU coming in, but once my  
18 hands are up and there's no weapon, where was the  
19 delegate behind them? (Indiscernible) --

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant --

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- a doctor?  
22 Somebody?

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Doesn't there  
24 have to be some prerequisite --

25 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Look's like

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1 Councilman Vann's gonna have fun with this one --

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- prerequisite --

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- unless he doesn't  
4 like police officers.

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- prerequisite  
6 paperwork before? What -- what was the paper --

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Who gave the authorization  
8 for this --

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah.

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- that's what I wanna  
11 know?

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: But where's the  
13 paperwork for the EDP? Where is -- where -- you  
14 know, this is all after the fact, trying to cover it  
15 up, what did they do initially?

16 It sounded to me -- and when you guys hear  
17 the recording -- it's like they're making it up as  
18 they go. Their key, their whole purpose is to get  
19 him out of that apartment.

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Do you have everything  
21 you need to start the investigation? Or does this  
22 thing need to be waited until I'm out?

23 SERGEANT CHU: No, I'll make sure --

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I got -- I got a  
25 funny feeling from Scott yesterday.

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1 SERGEANT CHU: Well, what --

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Like, call me when you  
3 get out.

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I told -- I told the  
5 lieutenant that. Call me when you get out?

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Is this gonna --

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: That's why they sent  
8 you.

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Have I came anything  
10 short that would start a criminal investigation on  
11 this?

12 SERGEANT CHU: Oh, no. We are starting an  
13 investigation, whether it's determined to be  
14 criminal or not it's determined by the district  
15 attorney's office. And that would be case of any  
16 type of allegation of criminality against any police  
17 officer, we do a conferral with the DA's office and  
18 they make a determination if there is any  
19 criminality or not. You know, as you know, in any  
20 type of murder or attempted murder case, there has  
21 to be certain elements that have to be proven before  
22 that charge can be brought forth, so --

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I have the ACR number.  
24 Do you want that before you go?

25 SERGEANT CHU: I can obtain that through

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1 the -- through the DA department.

2 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It was a female and a  
3 male.

4 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

5 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: The male was driving.

6 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And the male took my  
8 blood pressure.

9 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: But he didn't do  
11 anything.

12 SERGEANT CHU: So, I want to make sure I  
13 am receiving your complaints, your allegations, as  
14 it pertains to each of the officers. I cannot, you  
15 know -- and I'm being honest with you -- cannot sit  
16 here and make that determination whether all those,  
17 the complaints that you have are actually the  
18 allegations that are going to be specifically  
19 addressed, because they may be -- what you indicate  
20 as murder might just may be unnecessary force. You  
21 know what I mean? Because you're talking about  
22 criminality and the DA's have to make that -- they  
23 make the determination whether they -- it was  
24 believed to be criminality.

25 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: We understand that.

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1 Aggravated kidnapping and --

2 SERGEANT CHU: But, you know, I do --

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- civil rights --

4 SERGEANT CHU: -- what you believe, what  
5 you perceive of the actions that were -- that  
6 occurred against you, that have been taken against  
7 you, I do that at this intake stage and that will be  
8 addressed as part and parcel of what you're  
9 complaining, what you're alleging of. So, you know,  
10 am I -- am I going to say -- sit here and say that  
11 Chief Marino is alleged of attempted murder --

12 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: All I ask for -

13 SERGEANT CHU: -- whether that's going to  
14 be substantiated --

15 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- is an investigation  
16 and not for (inaudible) --

17 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

18 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: An objective  
19 investigation.

20 SERGEANT CHU: Yes. And that's what will  
21 -- what will happen.

22 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. That's all I  
23 ask, objective and (inaudible) --

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It's going to be  
25 investigated (indiscernible).

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1 SERGEANT CHU: I mean, we, you know --

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: (Indiscernible).

3 SERGEANT CHU: -- in Group 1, don't -- you  
4 know, we don't have any -- we don't -- we don't,  
5 necessarily, you know, have any feelings, one way or  
6 other, as it pertains to the executives. It's just  
7 a job that we do. The executives are all as well,  
8 you know, sometimes are involved in certain levels  
9 of misconduct and, you know, things are what they  
10 are, you know. And, you know --

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant, does, I --  
12 just, I'm curious, I mean, you're talking like a say  
13 a two star chief or a three star chief, I mean, or  
14 say the same allegation, or, I mean, say it was,  
15 it's fact, they're gonna go after him just as hard  
16 as if it was a patrolman?

17 SERGEANT CHU: Absolutely. Because the  
18 department, the commissioner and the department, as  
19 a whole, do not want to -- certainly do not want to  
20 be embarrassed by any type of misconduct by anybody  
21 of any higher rank, and especially if --

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible).

23 SERGEANT CHU: Yes. But this actually a  
24 much more significant light on the department as a  
25 whole, and so certainly if there has been misconduct

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1           proven then the -- in my experience, and again I don't  
2           have any day-to-day communication --

3                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. I understand.

4           The scary thing --

5                   SERGEANT CHU: -- but, in the things that  
6           I see, the penalty is really no different.

7                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

8                   SERGEANT CHU: The rank and file, myself  
9           included, don't hear about it, but the penalty phase  
10          is no different. Excuse me.

11

12                               (Phone ringing)

13

14                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I want to be  
15          evaluated with my attorney.

16                   DR. ISAKOV: Okay. Then -- and then we  
17          will wait until the attorney is here.

18                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

19                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. (Inaudible).

20                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Dad, go with the  
21          sergeant.

22                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. I got some things  
23          I have to have answered before I leave here.

24                               In the next five minutes, sergeant, I'll  
25          walk out with you, is that okay?

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Thanks.

2 SERGEANT CHU: Okay.

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Sorry, but this is --  
4 I've been -- I've been locked up for four days --

5 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I need -- Christine is  
6 the social worker and I need Christine to come back  
7 to answer some questions.

8 DR. ISAKOV: What social worker questions  
9 do you have?

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I wanna know, for one,  
11 who is the mental health legal service lawyer? And,  
12 Adrian wants to file a --

13 DR. ISAKOV: I can give you the name and I  
14 can give you the number to call.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. He wants to  
16 file -- where can he get a written request for  
17 release? He needs the form. He needs to file.  
18 Nobody's --

19 DR. ISAKOV: To release what?

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Me.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: His person.

22 DR. ISAKOV: I told you, it's a doctor,  
23 it's not the social worker's decision for release.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: I don't request to  
25 leave?



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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well, you see, Adrian  
2 is going to request, he wants to --

3 DR. ISAKOV: Okay. You can get the -- get  
4 the 72 hour (inaudible), and I want to get a written  
5 document, I don't feel that I have any mental reason  
6 to be here.

7 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes, sir. That's what  
8 I'm asking for.

9 DR. ISAKOV: Okay. And by the law, we  
10 need -- we have 72 hours to respond to it.

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Well, you've  
12 had, okay -- so where do we get that form?

13 DR. ISAKOV: It's not a form, it's just  
14 regular paper. You can get put piece of paper --

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. And he what, he  
16 writes it out?

17 DR. ISAKOV: He will write out --

18 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Have to write it out.

19 DR. ISAKOV: -- that I am so and so, in the  
20 hospital, I wanted to be released in the hospital  
21 because I don't have any mental illness. He'll sign  
22 it and --

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible) write it  
24 out.

25 DR. ISAKOV: -- he will hand it to me, I

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1 will put the date and time when he handed it to me.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. And then how  
3 does he scheduled to go before a hearing, to get a  
4 hearing before a judge?

5 DR. ISAKOV: A hearing now, today is,  
6 what, Wednesday, yes? Tomorrow morning the lawyer  
7 will be here, his mental health lawyer --

8 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It's not my lawyer.

9 DR. ISAKOV: -- for the patient.

10 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

11 DR. ISAKOV: It's not your lawyer that  
12 maybe you want, but this is a lawyer that state  
13 providing to every patient who getting admitted to  
14 our hospital.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So, he's automatically  
16 provided a mental health lawyer?

17 DR. ISAKOV: Yes, yes, right.

18 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And he will see that  
19 lawyer tomorrow?

20 DR. ISAKOV: Tomorrow morning.

21 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

22 DR. ISAKOV: Tomorrow morning he will  
23 discuss with him and will tell him the same that I  
24 want to be discharged, I don't feel that I need to  
25 be here.

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1 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right.

2 DR. ISAKOV: And, if you, by tomorrow, for  
3 example, or day after tomorrow, depending how long  
4 it will take to finish our evaluation, if we do not  
5 come to a conclusion that we need to discharge him,  
6 then he has the right to take us to the court and  
7 the court usually happens on Tuesdays. The first  
8 day he can be in the court it will be Tuesday, if we  
9 do not release him before then.

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Do we have to wait  
11 the 72 hours to go to court?

12 DR. ISAKOV: The 72 hours is for us to  
13 respond.

14 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. But do we  
15 have to wait for that to go to a judge?

16 DR. ISAKOV: I told you, the judge usually  
17 sit at our hospital only Tuesday.

18 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Excuse me. I know  
19 what you're saying, that you don't (inaudible).

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: How about clothes?  
21 Can I wear clothes?

22 DR. ISAKOV: Yeah, sure.

23 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh, okay.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: (Inaudible).

25 DR. ISAKOV: Do you have your clothes with

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1                   you?

2                   ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: They have a bag, I  
3                   think, or (inaudible).

4                   DR. ISAKOV: If they need to be washed, we  
5                   can wash them (indiscernible).

6                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. I just have --  
7                   is there an actual commitment order? Or what are  
8                   you actually going by?

9                   Is there an actual commitment order that  
10                  is keeping him --

11                  DR. ISAKOV: I will -- I will explain you.  
12                  The reason that he was brought here is pretty  
13                  serious business and you can understand that a lot  
14                  of things was going in his life lately that he  
15                  wasn't happy with.

16                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. That's what we  
17                  would like to know, because we don't know about it.

18                  DR. ISAKOV: Okay. When he came to the  
19                  hospital and the psychiatrist was called to evaluate  
20                  him, when they evaluated him, he presented with this  
21                  suspiciousness for the -- with the -- with the plot  
22                  that some crime going on in the police department.  
23                  I don't --

24                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Are you getting this,  
25                  sarge?

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1 SERGEANT CHU: (Indiscernible) listening.

2 DR. ISAKOV: -- I don't know now if it's  
3 true or if it's of his beliefs. You understand?

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Well --

5 DR. ISAKOV: I don't know. I -- I --

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Doctor --

7 DR. ISAKOV: -- don't -- I'm not working  
8 there.

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I understand. So what  
10 you're saying --

11 DR. ISAKOV: I don't know. For me --

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- Doc, what you're  
13 saying is --

14 DR. ISAKOV: For me, now, my job is to  
15 figure out if it's true --

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So --

17 DR. ISAKOV: -- or it's just his own  
18 belief --

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. I understand  
20 that.

21 DR. ISAKOV: -- now I will tell you a  
22 little bit more. But because I get the information  
23 that one year ago he was evaluated by a psychiatrist  
24 in his office and the decision was made that his gun  
25 need to be taken away from him, then I need to have

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1 the access to this evaluation to see what's  
2 happening (inaudible) --

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: That's what I've been  
4 trying to get for a year.

5 DR. ISAKOV: -- what is the -- what is  
6 the --

7 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Reason.

8 DR. ISAKOV: -- reason. And what was the  
9 result of the evaluation? He was recommended  
10 treatment, he was diagnosed with some mental illness  
11 or not. When I will get --

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I hope you have  
13 better luck than we did.

14 DR. ISAKOV: -- when I will get this all  
15 information, and according to my observation talking  
16 to him and discussing stuff, and if everything will  
17 come out that there is nothing dangerous for himself  
18 or to others and if he needs some treatment, we will  
19 recommend some treatment, or if not, then we will  
20 tell, okay, nothing to be done, then I will be  
21 comfortable to tell him now you go.

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: But, Doctor, what  
23 happens if the police department doesn't give you  
24 the paperwork you need, so, he could be here  
25 indefinitely until the police department --

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1 DR. ISAKOV: Again, I -- they need to give  
2 me the reason why they brought him here. If they  
3 don't tell me, no, it's court information, that  
4 nobody can get it, only up under a court order, it's  
5 different story, then I will tell (indiscernible).

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay.

7 DR. ISAKOV: I cannot -- I need to base my  
8 decision by my evaluation.

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. Okay. I  
10 appreciate that.

11 DR. ISAKOV: If they tell me that now, if  
12 you will sign a release information, we will send it  
13 to you, you will sign a release information and they  
14 will fax it to us.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Why hasn't that  
16 already been done?

17 DR. ISAKOV: He just came. I told you, I  
18 saw him first time today.

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, but, I mean,  
20 sometime before this. Why hasn't the police  
21 department taken these steps? I mean --

22 DR. ISAKOV: Once again, you're asking the  
23 wrong person. You need to ask them that.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It seems I'm always  
25 (indiscernible). But, doctor, what you're basing

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1 the fact that his being here is, is you're saying  
2 some doctor --

3 DR. ISAKOV: Okay. What I'm saying, that I  
4 don't see that he's acting this out, I don't see him  
5 -- he's agitated or he need to be medicated --

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Hey, doctor --

7 DR. ISAKOV: -- or suggest that he be on  
8 medication. I don't see it. But the only thing  
9 that I see that he still has this idea that is  
10 something wrong going on in the police, and I need  
11 to investigate, how much is it going on?

12 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Sergeant, are you  
13 getting this?

14 SERGEANT CHU: No, I am. I -- I understand  
15 what the doctor is saying.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Do you find it very  
17 interesting? He's being held here because of his  
18 allegations, not because there is anything wrong  
19 with him. I mean, you are grasping that, right?

20 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: This is retaliation.

21 DR. ISAKOV: Again, I -- I don't know,  
22 again, if I'm doing something wrong, I'm doing it in  
23 his --

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: We're not -- you  
25 understand because (inaudible) --



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1 DR. ISAKOV: -- if I don't get, there's  
2 nothing wrong with him, it will be in your benefit.

3 SERGEANT CHU: You have to understand from  
4 the doctor's perspective that he does not know  
5 Adrian up until a couple of days, so --

6 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. So he's  
7 trying to verify if it's legitimate.

8 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah. Well, he --

9 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Not if it's --

10 SERGEANT CHU: Yes.

11 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- legitimate, but if  
12 Adrian believes it's legitimate.

13 SERGEANT CHU: Yes. Yes.

14 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. I understand  
15 that. I understand that. I -- and I sympathize  
16 with you --

17 DR. ISAKOV: Then, again, even if it's  
18 legitimate, I wanted to know what he want to do with  
19 this? If he will say, I just will report it to the  
20 authorities and they need to take care of it, is one  
21 story. If he will tell, no, I need to take care of  
22 myself, I will go and punish them, is a different  
23 story.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah. Well, that's  
25 why the Internal Affairs is here. Adrian has been

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1 reporting it.

2 DR. ISAKOV: You understand? That's why  
3 he's a (inaudible) --

4 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. That's why  
5 it's important --

6 DR. ISAKOV: -- that's why I need to see if  
7 he's dangerous, if he wanted to do something.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Right. I understand,  
9 doctor. That's why we wanted --

10 DR. ISAKOV: Especially if the gun was  
11 taken away, probably was some suspicion that he can  
12 do something.

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: That's why we wanted  
14 the sergeant here, so he can see that Adrian is not  
15 dreaming this up, and he's willing to talk to you,  
16 but...

17 Okay, but you can understand, if there  
18 must be what, how many thousands of reports out  
19 there everyday where a citizen says, I believe this  
20 happened, this happened and this happened and police  
21 make reports. They don't say, we've gotta put you  
22 in a mental hospital to see if you are mentally  
23 stable enough to make this report.

24 I mean, am I right, Sergeant? I mean,  
25 that's what they are basing his incarceration on,

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1 the fact that he's making allegations and -- so now  
2 we gotta lock him up to see if he is mentally able  
3 to make those allegations. So before he reports to  
4 IAB, he's gotta be mentally, psychologically  
5 cleared.

6 SERGEANT CHU: No. No. I understand how  
7 you are perceiving that. I totally do.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh, I'm perceiving it.

9 SERGEANT CHU: And as far as the --

10 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: It's how the public's  
11 going to perceive it, that's the problem.

12 SERGEANT CHU: -- you know --

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: If they can do it to  
14 him, they can do it to anybody.

15 SERGEANT CHU: Absolutely.

16 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: And they do.

17 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: And they do in  
18 Bedford-Stuyvesant, standing on the corner --

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You don't have a  
20 chance, you don't have a chance.

21 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- (inaudible) stand  
22 on the corner. Go with him.

23 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: I'm going with him.  
24 Okay. Doctor, so what time is the lawyer coming  
25 tomorrow?

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1 DR. ISAKOV: He's in in the morning.

2 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Now --

3 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Do I have to sign --  
4 sign in, somewhere, and let them know that I'm  
5 requesting him? Or just be up --

6 DR. ISAKOV: No, that it's definitely he  
7 will see you.

8 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: They see all the  
9 patients?

10 DR. ISAKOV: They see every new patient.

11 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Oh, okay. Okay.  
12 good, good.

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. Good. Those  
14 questions you've answered, I appreciate it, Doctor.  
15 And... And I'm having really bad brain farts  
16 lately...

17 Sergeant, do you have any questions?

18 SERGEANT CHU: No.

19 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: You're cleared. You're  
20 ready to go?

21 SERGEANT CHU: Thanks.

22 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay, so -- yeah, I  
23 got that, I'll make copies, I'm making copies.

24 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Make copies of this.

25 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: So, now, are you gonna

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1 -- are you gonna talk to him now, doctor?

2 DR. ISAKOV: (Inaudible).

3 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. And, so, how  
4 long do you think you will need to evaluate him, or  
5 is that based on what you hear? I mean --

6 DR. ISAKOV: Yeah. The evaluation is  
7 ongoing (inaudible) --

8 SERGEANT CHU: And, again, in a -- in all  
9 fairness to the doctor, the doctor will probably --  
10 you know, it's -- it's hard to give any type of  
11 direct questions, like, you know, if I go and see my  
12 family doctor about something --

13 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: It's subjective.

14 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah, it's very subjective.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yes. I understand  
16 that.

17 SERGEANT CHU: In all honesty, sir, I  
18 think it's -- quite honestly, it's an unfair  
19 question to ask of him right now.

20 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: No. I know what  
21 you're saying. That's not -- that's not what I'm  
22 asking. What I'm asking is, if he is okay --

23 SERGEANT CHU: Yeah.

24 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- how long will it  
25 take to evaluate him? If there isn't any problems,

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1           how long will it take? That's what I'm asking.

2                   DR. ISAKOV: It's again, the evaluation,  
3           as I told you, is not just one part just talking  
4           with him, talking with him is one part. The other  
5           part will be obtaining information --

6                   LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Yeah, but the point is  
7           to that, doctor --

8                   DR. ISAKOV: -- from the previous  
9           evaluation and --

10                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: -- what happens if you  
11           can't get any of that information?

12                  DR. ISAKOV: If not, then I will just base  
13           on my own evaluation and do what I'm going to do.

14                  LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: That's what I'm --  
15           again, doctor, that's what I am asking you. How  
16           long is it gonna take you to evaluate him? Forget  
17           about everybody else, you, a psychiatrist?

18                  If everything is okay with him, and there  
19           isn't a problem, how long will it take for you to  
20           say, there's not a problem?

21                  DR. ISAKOV: I tell you, again, it will  
22           not take long, but the only thing that's holding him  
23           now to tell me what is the result of the evaluation,  
24           that we don't have any information that we would  
25           like to have.

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1 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Again, you might  
2 never get that information.

3 DR. ISAKOV: Again, it's -- I will call  
4 them tomorrow and I will contact somebody and he  
5 will sign the release form --

6 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: Give her -- give him  
7 her number, directly.

8 DR. ISAKOV: -- (inaudible).

9 ADRIAN SCHOOLCRAFT: -- give him  
10 Lamstein's number.

11 DR. ISAKOV: Then I -- then if they will  
12 say, no, this information will not be available to  
13 you, then we will tell, okay, we will make own  
14 decision.

15 LARRY SCHOOLCRAFT: Okay. I'll take care  
16 tomorrow. Don't worry about it. Okay.

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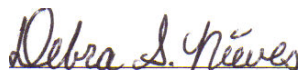
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